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Superstore plan moves one step forward

A NEW superstore for Oswestry moved a step closer this week – but objectors still fear for the town centre's future.

Shropshire councillors met in Oswestry on Tuesday and rubber-stamped a legal agreement which will ensure benefits for the town centre.

Campaigners against the complex at the Livestock Market say the benefits do not go far enough to protect the town centre.

There were cries of "shame, shame" from the public gallery at the Shropshire Council planning meeting in Oswestry's Castle View council offices as the committee voted to agree the terms of the Section 106 agreement.

People crammed in to the chamber to hear the decision to agree legal conditions and clear the way for the development, by the town council, Oswestry Cattle Auctions and developers Liberty Mercian.

Permission was granted in October to turn part of the Smithfield land into a superstore, cinema, petrol station, non food stores, offices and a 900 space car park.

Developers say a park and ride bus will connect it with the centre.

But objectors say the agreement does not go far enough to ensure that the money the town council is expected to receive for the project, which could be about £6 million, is used to regenerate the town centre.

Although it can not be tied to such a legal agreement, the town council said it had pledged to use that funding for the good of the town.

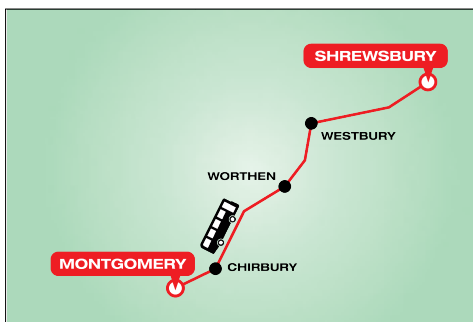
Buyout of firm agreed

OSWESTRY COMPANY Richard Burbidge this week completed a deal to buy out a Nottingham based timber moulding manufacturer.

The deal to acquire Masons Timber Products will see 78 jobs saved and the business will continue to operate independently from Nottingham supplying timber mouldings to builders' merchants and DIY retailers.

FW Mason was an 82 year old family owned company that ran into difficulties in the recession and went into administration in late March. The company now joins a portfolio of timber manufacturing and distribution companies with sales of over £55 million including Atkinson & Kirby in Ormskirk.

28-MILE LONE BUS TRIP FOR TODDLER



A map shows the route the boy would have travelled alone

A TWO-year-old toddler sparked a cross-border alert after taking a 28-mile bus trip on his own from Montgomery to Shrewsbury.

The incident happened on Monday morning and only became apparent when passengers left the bus at Shrewsbury, leaving the little boy still on board.

A group of people got on the bus at Montgomery and the child, wearing pyjamas and a nappy, got on with them.

Dyfed-Powys Police confirmed that two people had been arrested in relation to the incident and they have launched an investigation along with Powys County Council children's services team.

"Dyfed-Powys Police can confirm that on Monday morning, a two-and-a-half-year-old child from the Montgomery area got onto a service bus together with other passengers," said Inspector Jonathan Tatton.

Arrested

"It was only when the bus reached its destination in Shrewsbury that it became apparent to the driver that the child was unaccompanied."

"The driver immediately contacted Shrewsbury police, which resulted in Dyfed-Powys officers making inquiries to locate the parents."

"Following the report, two persons have been arrested and remain on police bail pending further enquiries, which are being conducted jointly by Dyfed Powys Police's public protection unit and Powys County Council's children's services team."

"While the circumstances are

highly unusual, fortunately the child didn't come to any harm and a thorough investigation is now under way to establish how this occurred," he added.

A spokesman for West Mercia Police said: "The little boy was initially looked after by officers and staff at our town centre office in Shrewsbury."

Nick Culliford, operations manager of Tanat Valley Motors, which operates the bus service, said it had been an amazing incident.

"It appears the child got on the bus at the Chirbury Road stop as a group of people were boarding."

"The driver was not aware of the child's presence until Shrewsbury."

"As the last person left the coach he pointed out that the child was being left behind only to discover that the little boy was unaccompanied," he added.

"The driver did everything in the proper manner, taking the child to the Shrewsbury town centre police station. Nobody on board thought the child was on his own."

"It seems everyone thought he was with someone else. It was quite an amazing adventure for the youngster, and luckily he was unharmed."

by Graham Breeze

'Pie do' for wedding couple



Neil Harris and Fiona Jones with the pork pie wedding cake

PORK PIE will be on the menu for an Oswestry couple who are planning a wedding with a difference.

Fiona Jones and Neil Harris will tie the knot at Whittington Castle on July 2 in a medieval style ceremony and afterwards guests will feast on a locally produced tiered pork pie cake.

Looking for a centrepiece for the wedding banquet the couple came up with the idea of a tiered wedding cake with a difference and called on Oswestry butchers Battam's in Beatrice Street to come up with the goods.

This week the couple dropped in on the butcher to check progress and were surprised to see that things were already taking shape.

"We wanted to do something different for the wedding and have gone for the medieval idea at the castle," said Fiona, who will also be celebrating her 50th birthday.

"We'll be dressed in medieval fashion and will have 150 guests for the banquet at the Royal Oak in Treflach so the pie is going to be substantial as there will be a lot to go around."

Butcher Kevin Battam says he was shocked at the request. "We've had some strange requests over the years but I think this tops the lot," he said.

"But we did some research and everyone here has really enjoyed getting involved in the project. Fiona and Neil are a lovely couple and we will be doing our best to make their day."

Station to shut in £13m savings

LLANFAIR Caereinion police station is to close to help save Dyfed Powys Police £13 million.

Chief Constable Ian Arundale said the station would be one of two to close in Powys as the force looks to make massive savings.

A second station will close at Ystradgynlais in a move which Mr Arundale said will save £1.1 million over 10 years.

However, the force has also recruited 18 new full time police officers and 21 special constables in a bid to keep on top of crime.

Mr Arundale said the force was working hard to maintain front line services. He said the 18 new full-time recruits will start their training this month and will be working in communities by February 2012.

The 21 special constables have already started their training.

He said: "Police buildings in communities that serve as a base for officers but are not generally used by the public have been reviewed."

"In light of the savings the authority needs to make in order to balance its budget they have been deemed no longer fit for purpose and will be closing."

"In order to deliver the savings at the earliest opportunity the force is looking to make the closures in the next three to 15 months. However, none of the police buildings will close until alternative arrangements have been put in place."

Police seek male cyclist

A CYCLIST who was in collision with a woman in Oswestry town centre is being sought by police.

They want the middle-aged man involved to get in touch with them following the incident in Oswald Road last Thursday.

The woman had just walked out of the Just Craft shop at about 10.50am when she was knocked into the wall by the cyclist.

Police are keen for the man to contact them on 0300 333 3000.

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News boss to speak at opening meeting



SHROPSHIRE NEWSPAPERS general manager Graham Clifford will be the speaker at the Oswestry & Border Chronicle Business Club's opening meeting.

The Chronicle is teaming up with Oswestry Chamber of Commerce to launch the new business club for the Oswestry and Welshpool areas. Mr Clifford will be at the first meeting which is being held at the Wynnstay Hotel in Oswestry on Wednesday, July 6.

The club is open to any business within the paper's circulation area, regardless of the size or sector in which it operates.

"The purpose of the club is to provide an opportunity for members of the business community to discuss topical issues, air problems and suggest solutions," said Chronicle associate editor Graham Breeze.

Encourage

"It will provide the opportunity to discover best practice and create a powerful platform to encourage dialogue with other influential bodies across the region."

The club will meet four times a year with informal workshops and social networking in association with the Chamber of Commerce.

The Oswestry & Border Chronicle, as part of the Midland News Association, is supported by the resources of the Shropshire Star and plans to provide the club with support information and established contacts.

"We are working in partnership with the local Chamber to ensure local businesses have the best possible representation," said Mr Breeze.

By Graham Breeze

The club will work to raise the profile of the business community as a whole and reward the companies who continue to work efficiently and effectively in these challenging trading times with business awards.

You can register as a member of the Oswestry & Border Chronicle Business Club by emailing your details to businessclub@shropshirestar.co.uk.

We need the name of the business, a full postal address, the number of employees you have and an indication of what sort of business you run.

We also need a contact name and daytime telephone number.

Alternatively you can send a letter with the same information to Chronicle Business club, c/o Promotions Department, Shropshire Star, Ketley, Telford TF1 5HU.

If you have any questions about the club or there is a topic you would like raised at the inaugural meeting, please let us know by contacting Graham Breeze on 01691 668094 or gbreeze@shropshirestar.co.uk

Birthday money donated



Ivor and Joyce Davies hand over a cheque for £1,250 to Wendy Williams, treasurer of Copthorne Cickers United, watched by Roger Hampson, the chairman.

GOBOWEN FARMER Ivor Davies has handed over a cheque for £1,250 to Copthorne Cickers United after celebrating his 70th birthday.

The group was formed in 1992 by former patients of the Royal Shrewsbury Hospital's coronary care unit, and when Ivor and his wife Joyce decided on a 70th birthday party they asked guests to donate cash rather than presents.

Copthorne Cickers' treasurer Wendy

Williams went to the couple's home at Cross Lanes Farm to receive the cheque when Mr Davies thanked guests for their donations.

"Everyone has been extremely generous," he said. "This is a very worthwhile organisation that has provided support for many people and I am very grateful to everyone for their support."

The group has handed over £33,000 to the coronary care unit in the past 19 years.

Fury over skimming contest new rule

A BITTER row has erupted over a rule change at an annual charity stone skimming championship in south Shropshire—leaving one man claiming elite competitors could boycott the event.

Veteran skimmer Ron Long, who finished second at last year's Bishop's Castle Stone Skimming Championship, is incensed after organisers banned competitors from bringing their own stones to the event on Sunday. The decision was made to make it a level playing field for all competitors.

But Mr Long, 67, from Marton near Welshpool, said it was unacceptable for "elite" skimmers such as himself.

He said top skimmers were now considering boycotting the event at Bow House Equestrian on the A489 near Bishop's Castle.

He said: "It's like telling Tiger Woods he has to use someone else's clubs or handing Tim Henman a club racket to use at Wimbledon. It's just not on."

Organiser Heather Ashton, who founded the event four years ago to raise cash for The Prostate Cancer Charity, said: "The championships are simply about providing a bit of fun for the area."

"We get quality skimmers who are quite happy to use the stones we provide. It's a family event and when it starts getting serious, well, it's not really in the ethos of the day for us."

Admission is free to the event, which will run from noon to 5pm.

Top choirs in concert

TWO OF THE best choirs in the area will be appearing in Gobowen on Saturday.

Shrewsbury Police Choir and Dyfryn Ceiriog Choir are both performing at All Saints Church, Gobowen in a concert organised to raise funds for the church.

Tickets are available on the door at £5.

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Education inspectors 'critical'

POWYS COUNTY Council has been criticised in an Estyn report despite being told that overall education standards are good.

Powys County Council's education services for children and young people were said to be 'adequate' and its record in securing improvement 'disappointing', according to the report published on Tuesday by education inspectors.

The report by Estyn, Her Majesty's Inspectorate for Education and Training in Wales, said standards in Powys schools are 'generally good' as are the standards of wellbeing and engagement of young people.

And it said councillors had also taken difficult decisions regarding schools closures and restructuring.

The report said too many schools were in a category of causing concern and too many had high deficit budgets.

The authority has been too slow in using its full range of powers to intervene to improve schools and/or their leadership teams and governing bodies, the report said.

Elected members had not placed enough emphasis on standards and too often put local concerns before the interests of learners, it added.

Decision-making and scrutiny processes were not effective enough and the authority's track record in securing improvement in schools has been disappointing.

Volunteers to take2streets

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help bring festivities to Oswestry.

The second annual Take 2 The Streets will be held on July 30, organised by Oswestry Chamber of Commerce and the town council. People are needed to help promote the event by handing out flyers. Email wendy@thegatesgifts.co.uk

Church coffee

A gift day and coffee morning in aid of St Mary's Church in Welshpool will take place at the Church House on June 25 from 10am.

Fighting families united thanks to TV show guru



The happy couple – Sam Camps and Adam Guiel.

TWO WARRING Oswestry families have been reunited through song after bride-to-be Samantha Camps applied to appear on a TV show.

In a real-life tale lifted from the pages of Shakespeare, the children of two fighting families were desperate to get married – but while the Romeo and Juliet story ended tragically this one ended in joy.

Sam Camps and Adam Guiel have two children together and were engaged, but were stuck in the middle of two warring families.

Sam could not see eye to eye with Adam's mum Carol, and any hope the couple had of one day getting married seemed a long way off. With little chance of sorting the problem out for themselves both sets of families agreed to take part in a unique form of family therapy after Sam spotted an advert for a Sky TV show, *Sing Your Heart Out*.

For four weeks they were taught how to sing and become a family choir. They then put on a live performance and the couple tied the knot at Whittington Castle.

Their teacher was Doctor Voice, a vocal coach who has harnessed the power of the voice to help singers, professional sports people and business leaders. "Things are so



Anthony Wade, also known as Doctor Voice, with the families reunited after *Sing Your Heart Out*.

by Graham Breeze

much better now," said Sam. "We are a real family and go out together for meals or on shopping trips. "Daughters Ella two, and Paige one, now get to see both sets of grandparents and the babysitting situation is a lot better too!"

"When I replied to the advert I never thought for a minute that we would get on the show, and Adam was a bit reluctant at first, but we are so glad that we went through with it. It was a tremendous experience."

Photographer Adam said the family row had been going on for three years. "Things are 10 times better than they were and it's all down to both families getting together to sing and perform," he said.

Anthony Wade, AKA Dr Voice, intervened in the bitter feud between the Camp and the Guile families.

The 58-year-old voice coach, who has performed at the Royal Albert Hall, Sydney Opera House and Hollywood Bowl, set out to resolve their differences through song.

Mr Wade said he fought through tears, scuffles and suicide threats to bring the families together – and was even invited to the wedding. *Sing Your Heart Out* is on Saturday at 5pm on Sky 1.



'The Guiles' – left to right, Adam, Carol and Oliver Guiel



'The Camps' – Susan Camps, Colin Hunt, Debbie Jones and Sam Camps

NEWS

in brief

Students joining in the debate

AT Ellesmere College held a United Nations style debating forum on 'making humanitarian decisions'.

As part of the school's debating activity programme, year nine pupils debated the issue of child labour.

The school assembly hall was decked with the flags from around the world as the United Nations debate was opened by Dale Crawford, one of the Model United Nations co-ordinators at the school.

Following the formal welcome from Hazel Wakefield, Director of Enterprises, who had been invited to give the opening address, pupils agreed their policy statements for their individual countries before the lobbying stage and preparation of joint resolutions.

Final concert in current season

THE final concert in the current season of the Oswestry School Recital Series will be given tomorrow, Friday, in Holy Trinity Church, Oswestry, at 7.30pm.

The acclaimed Skampa String Quartet from Prague will be making their fifth visit to Oswestry, having performed in London's Wigmore Hall two nights earlier – a concert which will be broadcast live on BBC Radio 3 at 7.30pm.

Tickets are available from the school box office on 01691 681135.

Eric rewarded for exceptional work

AN OSWESTRY rotarian has been recognised for his exceptional service in the community.

Eric Evans, of Oswestry Borderland Rotary Club, received the Paul Harris Fellowship from Mike Pepper, the assistant director governor.

The award is in appreciation of "tangible and significant assistance given for the furtherance of better understanding and friendly relations among people of the world."

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Town's GHB drug use shows 'dramatic' fall

POLICE IN Oswestry are winning the battle against GHB, the detective leading the fight said today.

Detective Chief Inspector Alan Edwards, the head of CID in Shropshire, said a concerted effort by the authorities over the past few months had resulted in a "marked improvement" in reducing the levels of use of the drug.

But he warned there would be no let-up by the police and its partner agencies in targeting those manufacturing and supplying GHB and its component drug GBL.

The police, Shropshire Council, the director of public health and the Drug and Alcohol Action Team (DAAT) have conducted a co-ordinated response tackling GHB usage and its associated problems in the Oswestry area.

DCI Edwards said: "As a result of the ongoing enforcement and educational initiatives, there has been a dramatic reduction in the availability of GHB in the area. This is really good news for the local community."

Concerted effort

Councillor Ann Hartley, Shropshire Council's Cabinet member for health and wellbeing, said: "There has been a real concerted effort from a variety of agencies, and it's really good news that the hard work is paying off. However, we are not complacent and it's important for people to know that support is still out there for anyone who needs it."

DCI Edwards acknowledged that Oswestry has been described as one of the country's hotspots for supply and usage. "The whole community is very much aware of the situation following a blaze of publicity," he said. "I'd like to thank everyone in Oswestry for their support."

DCI Edwards also praised the media for publicising efforts to bring about improvements. He said: "Their campaigning has had a significant impact."

Herbalist speaking

MEDICAL HERBALIST Natalie Morris will be demonstrating the best use of wild herbs at Llyncllys Common Nature Reserve on Saturday.

Shropshire Wildlife Trust's Oswestry branch is inviting people to meet at the reserve at 11am in the Dolgloch layby on the A495 near Llyncllys. The walk will last for approximately two hours.

There will be a charge of £2 for trust members and £3 for anyone else.

For details contact 01691 860118 or 01691 828617.

Rotarians host junior art contest



Pictured with their certificates are Josh Blount, 11, Georgina Lang, 10, Ellie Russell, 11, Onna Murtagh, 10, Jasmine Burobey-Shenton, 10 and Harriet Taylor-Jones, 10, from Moreton First School.

MORETON FIRST School won the Millennium Kaye Art Competition, organised by the Rotary Club Of Oswestry.

The competition has been running since 1996 in memory of well-known local artist Millicent, and is open to children in Year 5 and 6 at local primary schools.

Prizes, awarded to winning schools and individual students, are funded out of the Mary Hignett Bequest Fund, which is administered by the club.

The trophy is awarded to the school judged to have made the greatest effort.

First prize in the two dimensional art section went to Eleanor Coulson of Whittington Primary School. Second was Piers Merisson of Packwood Haugh and third Samuel Burton of Kinnerley. Georgina Lang of Moreton won the three dimensional art section, with Ethal Bungay of Meadows Primary in second place.



Rotary president David Foden with Eleanor Coulson, from Whittington C of E Primary School, and her painting which won first prize.

Police warning on prize scams

POLICE HAVE warned people not to send off money or cheques in response to letters saying they have won big cash prizes.

The warning follows an incident in which a woman in her 90s from Shrewsbury was conned into sending two cheques totalling £4,200 after being told she had won more than £200,000 on a prize draw. But no prize was forthcoming and the cheques were cashed.

A police spokesman said: "If you receive correspondence in the post or by email saying you have won a large sum of money or some other prize in a raffle, it's likely to be a scam. And if you are asked to forward cash to enable you to receive your 'prize', the alarm bells should be ringing. Under no circumstances should you forward money to receive a prize."

"If it sounds too good to be true, then almost certainly it will be. Be aware and don't be tempted to send off a cheque or money and never disclose your personal bank details."

The spokesman said fraudsters were preying on the elderly, who were the most vulnerable to such scams.

In the latest incident, the woman was both telephoned and written to.

Comic at club

COMEDIAN JIMMY Cricket will be appearing at the Comrades Club in Ellesmere tomorrow night, supported by Welshpool vocalist Alan Herbert and Lilly Jenkins with Ala Cra the comper for the night.

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Youth café project aims to combat teenage drinking

A PILOT project is to be launched by Oswestry Youth Café in a bid to steer youngsters away from underage drinking.

The aim is to put youth workers out on the streets of the town as part of a partnership to tackle teenage drinking.

The café is joining forces with the town's community alcohol partnership to launch the project, which is aimed at showing young people how much there is to do in the area.

The new initiative has been made possible after the youth café was awarded funding from the Roy Fletcher Trust.

The funding has allowed the youth café to employ two members of staff, who say a number of other exciting projects are also already in the pipeline.

Outreach group

New project manager, Ian Wilson, a former council youth worker, said they were looking to develop the work of the café, extend opening hours and support the volunteer staff.

Mr Wilson said: "We have some exciting projects under way. We have just been given funding to work with OSCAP, the Oswestry Community Alcohol Partnership." He said staff from the youth café would organise an outreach group, going out onto the streets, working with others such as the community support officers looking at underage drinking.

"We will take a positive approach, encourage young people to come into the café, particularly our drop-in Saturday afternoon sessions and show them what else is happening in the town. We have more structured evenings at the moment but on Saturdays all are welcome to come along to use our facilities or just sit and chat and enjoy some food."

The café is holding a tea party on Saturday, June 25, to honour its official oldest member, 100-year-old Mary Garside. Mrs Garside was made a member after she donated £195 to the youth café. She was a popular teacher in the town in the 1960s and 70s, and anyone who would like to go along can contact the café on (01691) 656559.

Murder is denied

A 59-year-old man has denied murdering his partner at the home they shared in Oswestry.

Brian Woodmass, of Orchard Street, Oswestry, denied murdering Jill Nevitt on December 14 when he appeared at Shrewsbury Crown Court last Friday.

Woodmass will stand trial at Stafford Crown Court in November. He was remanded in custody.

Miss Nevitt was in her 40s and had worked at the town's Poundstretcher and Co-operative stores.

An arresting experience for students

Youngsters at an Oswestry school got a taste of life behind bars as part of a campaign to highlight teenage offending. The Marches School pupils were "arrested" and put in mocked-up cells.

The aim yesterday was to give them an insight into what would happen to them if they ever strayed on the wrong side of the law.

Police, fire and prison officers provided the "Prison! Me! No-Way!" day of workshops and hands-on experience at the school.

All 240 pupils in Year Nine took part in the day's sessions which were run by prison officers, local police and fire officers and members of the county's drug and alcohol team.

Particularly highlighted were the problems of the drug GHB and alcohol which were big issues in Oswestry, said Sarah Peacock, of The Marches.

"Arson and fire service issues, offensive behaviour with the police and antisocial behaviour generally were all tackled but in a very positive way," she said.

A mobile prison cell was provided and pupils went through what would happen to them if they were arrested,



In a prison cell are Jessica Prince, 14, Zoe Entwistle, 13 and Molly Birch, 14.



Pictured getting 'arrested' by Dennis Williams and David Jones is Jake Baker, 14.

including being searched and spending time under lock and key.

"Workshops showed the students the sort of thing that could get them into trouble and what the consequences would be for them," said Ms Peacock.

She said the day had been received "incredibly well" by all involved and it

was something the school hoped to repeat in future years.

"Initial feedback from the students has been very thoughtful and very positive and because the day was delivered by actual serving prison, police and fire officers it had a very significant impact," she added.

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Andy's taking a boiler to Glastonbury

MOST people take a tent to Glastonbury Festival - Welshpool businessman Andy Boroughs will be taking a boiler which runs on wood pellets.

Not only is he the site manager for the Greenpeace Green Fields at the event, he's also managing director of Welshpool-based Organic Energy, which will be on hand to offer environmentally-friendly showers for thousands of Glastonbury revellers who want to be clean and green.

Hot water

Armed with umbrellas and wellies, thousands of festival-goers head to the Somerset site, which is almost as famous for its downpours and quagmires as it is for the impressive line-up of stars.

But no matter what the weather holds, Organic Energy is working with eco-charity Greenpeace to provide hot water at Glastonbury's Green Fields with its zero carbon wood pellet boilers.

Andy, of Shrewsbury, has a long association with the festival as the Green Fields site manager, and this year he is taking a 56 kW OkoFEN boiler from his showroom which will be fork-lifted on to the site, along with two tonnes of wood pellets.

He said: "We brought our first boiler to the festival in 2007 and are proud to have been providing hot water for the showers ever since."

"We know that some festival-goers just take baby wipes and a flannel, but judging by the queues we always have for our showers, many want a proper wash at some point over the weekend. While we always hope for good weather, it is great to be able to offer revellers a chance to have a good time, enjoy a shower and protect the environment at the same time."

Special day is planned to mark school's centenary



Birthday celebrations for pupils and staff at Carreghofa Primary School

A PRIMARY SCHOOL on the Shropshire/Powys border has big plans to celebrate its 100th birthday.

Carreghofa Primary School will be holding a centenary celebration day on July 7 to mark 100 years of education in Llanymynech.

Former pupils, ex-staff and dignitaries are being invited to a day of celebrations which start at 10am when

visitors will be given a tour of the school.

"The staff and pupils are very excited about the celebrations," said headteacher Rachel Humphreys.

Fantastic

"We hope that it will be a fantastic opportunity for past pupils and staff to take a trip down memory lane and for our current pupils to chat to visitors about school life at Carreghofa in days gone by."

"We're keeping our fingers crossed that the sun will shine so that we can enjoy a 'street party' lunch out in the playground and entertain guests with a variety of performance items from each class."

There will be a question and answer session where pupils will be able to ask questions about what the school used to be like.

A street party-style lunch will be taking place in the playground fol-

lowed by individual class performances.

Presentation

All pupils will receive centenary mugs which have been donated by Carreghofa Community Council.

There will be a presentation of centenary mugs to the pupils, which have been donated by Carreghofa Community Council.

A tree planting ceremony will also take place in the playground.

Survey seeks transport views

SOME PEOPLE in Oswestry will be asked to take part in a 12-page survey on the county's highways and transport services.

The views will be compared with others across England in the National Highways and Transport Public Satisfaction survey.

Shropshire Council is one of nearly 70 local authorities to sign up to a standardised survey that will quiz members of the Oswestry public.

The survey enables local authorities to compare results, share in best practice and identify opportunities to work together in the future.

The questionnaire will be sent to a minimum random sample of 1,000 Shropshire residents, with local and national results expected to be published later this summer.

Chance to see falcon chicks

PEREGRINES HAVE hatched three chicks at the Lake Vyrnwy RSPB reserve.

The RSPB has set up a dedicated viewing hide with scopes and binoculars from a lakeside hide for visitors to use and view the nesting birds.

Gary Slaytor, of the RSPB said: "The first egg hatched on May 18."

The hide will stay open to the public for the next few weeks as the juveniles learn how to hunt.

Join the gang

WELSHPOOL'S Get Going Gang is preparing for a summer play scheme from July 19 to August 19 between 10am and 3pm.

Anyone interested is asked to call Liz Gannon on (01938) 555269.

Royals visiting

THE PRINCE of Wales and Duchess of Cornwall will visit Mid Wales later this month.

The couple will visit between June 27 and July 1 to support the tourism industry, small businesses and rural enterprises.

They will visit Bacheldre Watermill at Churchstoke, which supplies bread and flour to Prince Charles at his country home, Highgrove in Gloucestershire.

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Villagers invited to shape future

PEOPLE who live in and around Selattyn near Oswestry are being given the chance to influence the community's future at a special event this month.

The village has been chosen as the first in the county to work at such great depth with Shropshire Council on its future planning policy.

The council wants between 20 and 30 people of all ages to attend a meeting next week, dubbed a 'community toolkit event'.

People are invited to sign up on a first come first served basis to a one-off event in Selattyn at 7pm on 29 June, being organised by Shropshire Council. Planners say they are looking for a range of people, from young people aged 11 up, parents with children, through to retired people.

Lois Dale from the council said: "This is so local people can help make sure the council has the best quality information possible about where you live."

The event will be held at the Cross Keys in Selattyn, on June 29 at 7pm.

Volunteers are asked to call Lois Dale in advance on 01743 255667 or email lois.dale@shropshire.gov.uk by Tuesday.

Theatre trip

MEMBERS of Welshpool WI have organised a trip to the theatre at Aberystwyth to see *Chess* on August 9 - and there are a few places left for non-members, costing £26.

For details call Mair Den-net on (01938) 554105.

Residents voted against windfarms plan in survey

THE PEOPLE of Welshpool are against National Grid plans for a power sub-station, windfarms and pylons a survey has revealed.

More than 80 per cent of people surveyed in the town said they were "concerned" about plans which could see huge pylons built.

It comes as Scottish Power says the consultation period into its plans, which could see hundreds of pylons built across the countryside, will be extended until July 7.



Welshpool mayor Estelle Bleivas and town clerk Robert Robinson at the count.

Debate will be held at livestock market

HISTORY WILL be made next week when Powys County Council holds its first full council meeting outside Llandrindod Wells.

The session is being moved from its usual County Hall location to Welshpool's new Livestock Market on Wednesday to give residents a chance to listen to a debate about Tan 8 - the Welsh Government's wind farm policy.

Council chairman Councillor Barry Thomas said: "Wind farms, electricity hub stations and National Grid connections are a subject of huge interest to the people of Powys, particularly people from Montgomeryshire and north Radnorshire."

The meeting will start at 2pm.

The company is increasing the deadline to ensure as many people as possible can express their views.

The results from the Welshpool Town Council study also showed that 75 per cent of those who responded did not support windfarms as an alternative source of power.

Proposals are out to consultation with 10 possible routes under consideration to link windfarms in Mid Wales to the National Grid.

Welshpool Town Council put a questionnaire through every door in the town last week and quizzed all Welshpool High School pupils.

The results also show that 82 per cent of people are concerned about the pylons, 78 per cent are concerned by the hub and 66 per cent support a public inquiry. It comes as more than 200 people attended a public meeting where it was claimed Shropshire's tourist economy would be affected by pylons.

Urged

The meeting with National Grid representatives in Oswestry took place on Saturday and saw the company urged to put the electricity cables underground.

The meeting was called by North Shropshire MP Owen Paterson, who has now promised to contact Welsh First Minister Carwyn Jones about comments he made over windfarms.

Mr Jones had said there should be no windfarms above the number agreed by the Welsh Assembly.

Mr Paterson said: "This could have ramifications for the Mid Wales project and I shall be contacting the First Minister."

Many of those at Saturday's meeting were worried about the impact of a power line.

John Hemmings, from Melverley, said there was a real risk and danger to Shropshire's economy, its tourism and farming.

He said the effect on the community should be looked at by National Grid when it was making its decision and called for the company to carry out a risk assessment on Shropshire.

Ceri's pylon plea to minister



Ceri Smith outside Welshpool Town Hall, with the letter she has written addressed to Carwyn Jones. Picture Simon Williams.

A 12-YEAR-OLD girl from Powys has written a letter to Welsh Assembly First Minister Carwyn Jones in a bid to prevent hundreds of pylons being built across Shropshire and Mid Wales.

Ceri Smith, who lives in Meifod and attends Welshpool High School, claims in her letter that Mr Jones "does not care" about the future of the Mid Wales countryside which she claims will be "destroyed" if the pylons are built.

It comes months after National Grid bosses launched consultation events across Shropshire and Mid Wales to discuss routes for a 400,000-volt cable linking windfarms to the grid. The cable will go along 46 metre-high pylons or will be underground.

The plans include a power station being built in either Abernule, near Newtown, or Cefn Coch, near Llanfair Caereinion. Bosses of National Grid have stressed that no decision has yet been made.

In the letter Ceri wrote: "You don't care how we feel about our beautiful countryside being destroyed by pylons because it's not happening to where you live is it?"

"Just think about how you would feel if these monster sized pylons were going where you live."

NEWS

in brief

Police plea after cashpoint attack

POLICE ARE appealing for information about an attempted robbery in Oswestry last Friday in which a young man was badly beaten.

The 21-year-old was set upon shortly after withdrawing money from the Abbey National cash point at the bottom of Bailey Street. While at the cash point he was approached by a man who asked the time before walking off.

The victim was grabbed by the throat from behind by a man who demanded his wallet and was forced to the ground and repeatedly kicked round the head and arms.

The injured man was taken to the Royal Shrewsbury Hospital with a suspected broken arm. Nothing was stolen.

The assailant is described as white, probably in his thirties and was wearing a baseball cap and dark tracksuit.

Contact Oswestry police station on 0300 333 3000 or Crimestoppers number on 0800 555 111.

Junction repair date set at last

A POTHOLED junction on a trunk road near Oswestry is to be repaired next month.

People have been complaining about the state of the Llynclys junction on the A483 south of the town all year. Now Shropshire Council has said that work will take place to repair the carriageway in July.

Councillor Arthur Walpole said the area's local joint committee had been pressing for improvements for months. "I am glad that at last the repairs are taking place but they should have been done by now."

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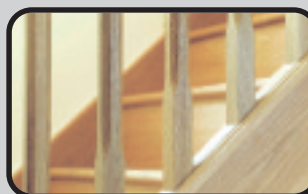
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Thought I'd seen everything...

AFTER 40 years in the newspaper business I thought I had heard and seen it all – until this week that is.

News reached the desk that a two-year-old toddler had taken the 28-mile bus ride from Montgomery to Shrewsbury on his own. So how could it happen?

It's bizarre, but understandable, that everyone on the coach thought the little chap, who was wearing only his pyjamas, was with someone else. And although it appears he struck up conversation with passengers no-one was too concerned.

The more serious aspect seems to be how he was allowed to be alone on the streets of Montgomery – and why no-one had noticed he was missing, even when he was taken to a police station in Shrewsbury.

As parents we have all experienced that terrible moment when a child goes missing. But normally it's just for a moment and that horrible feeling is soon past.

But this is certainly more serious – Dyfed Powys Police is now on the case, along with Powys County Council's children's services team.

So far this amazing story has a happy ending, let's all hope it continues.

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THE OSWESTRY supermarket saga moved on again this week, with Shropshire Council agreeing to press ahead with the Liberty Mercian scheme for the Livestock Market site.

Councillors had to be thick-skinned to absorb the stick given by objectors but they stuck by their guns to support the scheme put forward by Liberty with backing from Oswestry Town Council and Oswestry Cattle Auctions.

We may not all agree with either the principle of another

BREEZE ABOUT TOWN

with Graham Breeze



superstore or the location, but if it is to happen let's hope things start to move now.

The delays and uncertainty are probably causing more damage to the town than good. With the developers pledging £6million for town council projects it's time for the talking and arguing to stop and the work to start.

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THERE WAS a great gesture from the owners of the Lion Quays complex this week when they came to the aid of would-be paralympic basketball player Mark Fosbrook.

Mark's dream of a place in the 2012 Games side looked in tatters with his ageing wheelchair in need of replacement.

But Nick Dulsan and his team at the Lion Quays have pledged the cash to buy Mark a purpose-made new chair and also helping with further support.

Sometimes big organisations lose sight of the important things in life as they are swept away in the world of big business. So it's great to see the Lion Quays stepping in to help Mark's dream become a reality.

Let's hope the combination of Mark's determination and the technology of a new chair mean Oswestry will be represented in 2012.

Club's facilities will bowl visitors over...



Club captain Mike Robinson



It's not (just) cricket – Oswestry Cricket Club's pavilion which was completed in 2006

PROFILE

with Ben Bentley



ON the field, Oswestry Cricket Club's teams have made the best start in the club's history.

Off it, with a thriving social membership and a spectacular pavilion now well-established as one of the town's top venues, things are also looking good for the Morda Road-based club.

"We used to have the poorest facilities of all the senior teams in Shropshire," says club captain Mike Robinson. "Now we've got the best, and we're very proud of them."

The pavilion won an award from Oswestry Civic Society on its completion in 2006, and there's no doubt that it has made the world of difference to a club which moved to its current ground just after the Second World War.

Real buzz

"The new building gave us a tremendous boost," says Mike.

"The First XI have established themselves in the Birmingham League, and there's a real buzz about the place these days."

"While producing successful cricketers is obviously the club's primary function, it's a costly business running any sort of sporting organisation – so we have to sell ourselves as a club to the wider public."

"And it's quite possible to combine the two – last Saturday afternoon, for example, the First XI were at home, and in the evening we hosted a wedding reception for more than 100 people."

"We see ourselves very much as a community club. We've been very lucky to obtain grants from the likes of the Town Council and the Mary Hignett Trust, via the Rotary Club, and we like to think we are repaying



Classic cricket scene... Oswestry v Shelton at Oswestry Cricket Club

those debts by giving something back to the people of Oswestry."

The club's successful junior section offers a sporting outlet for the town's youngsters, with sessions for children of all ages on Sunday mornings and Monday evenings.

And all the time put in by the volunteer coaches has paid handsome dividends, with a regular supply of first-teamers coming up through the ranks.

"Our senior side on Saturday included lads of 14, 15, 16 and 19," continued Mike.

"And of the 24 players who turned out for the First XI in 2010, 21 had started with the club as juniors."

Oswestry field four league sides every Saturday, as well as Sunday and Evening League sides at senior level. The juniors play at all age groups from Under-10 up to Under-17.

"There's no shortage of cricket for anyone of any age or ability," added Mike.

"It's just as well that our head groundsman, Adrian Huxley, is very obliging as well as hard-working!"

The main function room in the pavilion is in constant demand, with bingo on Mondays and salsa dancing on

Wednesdays among its regular features. It also hosts a breakfast meeting for the Shropshire Chamber of Commerce once a fortnight.

"Last Thursday we staged our first ever Royal Ascot Ladies' Day, which was a tremendous success," said Mike.

"Events like that are a 'shop window' for us, as people visiting us for the first time are often impressed by what we have to offer – and book the room for functions of their own."

Top quality

But cricket remains the club's driving force, and with the First XI riding high in Division Three of the Birmingham League, there's top quality sport on offer at Morda Road for fans of the great summer game.

"Lots of people come down to watch our matches these days, but there's room for plenty more – it's a great afternoon out, and the bar is always open," added Mike.

"Best of all, it costs nothing to watch us. Where else can you get a free day's entertainment?"

• Anyone wanting further information about Oswestry Cricket Club should log on to its website at www.oswestrycricketclub.co.uk

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Reading of Bible took just 83 hours!

HUNDREDS of people from across the county joined in a non-stop Bible reading challenge at an Oswestry church, taking about 83 hours.

The Bible read-through, which started on Wednesday, marked the 400th anniversary of the King James version. It was estimated that more than 260 people took part with the last verse of the mammoth challenge at about 7.15pm on Saturday night.

Most of the reading took place in St. Oswald's Church but the psalms were read publicly around town.

Oswestry schools, business representatives and members of local organisations were among those taking part.

During the event there were up to 50 people in the church at any one time, listening to the readings.

A first edition King James Bible of 1611, which has been on display throughout the event, was lent to organisers by the Museum of the Book in London. It was used for the opening and closing readings.

One of the organisers, Bill Bowen, said the event had gone very well.

He said: "We were very pleased and we have found it very encouraging."

The celebrations in the town also included a Bible exhibition in the church which showed versions published over hundreds of years.

Scarecrow cover up

YOUNGSTERS at Oswestry's Youth Cafe are appealing for clothes to help make scarecrows.

Members of the cafe want to create the scarecrow as part of its Oswestry in Bloom entry.

Volunteer Julie Ruler said: "We then want to mothball it from August to October so it can be recycled as a guy in the Oswestry Borderland Rotary competition in November."

She said she was appealing for old boiler suits or even women's all-in-one 'cat suits'. She said check shirts or straw hats would also be welcome.

Theatre outing

WELSHPOOL WI has organised a trip to the theatre at Aberystwyth on August 9. The cost is £26.

To book call Mair Dennet on (01938) 554105.

Windfarm power is far from green

SOME ARE questioning the alternatives to windfarms and pylons. One misconception must be addressed first.

The power to be produced from the 800 new wind turbines planned on the Powys uplands is NOT for use in Mid Wales and the borderlands but will be transported into the National Grid some 50 miles away, carried along massive cables strung along 151 foot (46 metre) high pylons.

The electricity harvested is, therefore, for use in England where – by National Grid's own admission at a recent public meeting – it will be used by electricity companies promoting their electricity as "green" energy.

This energy would be anything but

green – great environmental damage would be caused through the production and use of steel/cables/concrete/aggregates – not to mention the huge lorries transporting all the infrastructure for windfarms, substations and pylons.

The damage to roads/bridges and the countryside has not been addressed, and neither has the question of increased global warming and risk to health by running cables for many miles.

So, the question has been asked – what do protestors to pylons and windfarms propose as an alternative? My own view is this:

Electricity should be produced

locally and used locally, by feeding into the existing local grid – and this should be done all over the UK. There are choices – hydro/off-shore/solar/new developing technologies – but produce it and use it in the area needed. Hence no need for the huge subsidies/big profits of multi-nationals and the obliteration of our communities and countryside.

Incidentally, we should all be cutting power waste too. One way would be to end the building of huge office blocks/buildings of steel infilled with glass. The fuel consumption for these must be enormous!

JUDY ANDREW
Middletown, Welshpool



IT'S MIDSUMMER, so just in case you're getting carried away we're going to cool you off with a photo of snow clearance in the Oswestry area which was taking place on March 23, 1979. The original caption read: 'In some of the more remote parts of the Oswestry area, there are still roads which are blocked by last week's snow. The only way to get about for many isolated farmers is on foot or by tractor. Driver of this snow clearing machine, Mr Emlyn Jones, is expecting to have to work right through this weekend to clear this road to Llechrydau and reach Spring Hill, an isolated farm which is cut off by snow during most winters for days, if not weeks, at a time.'

Family names in link with village

ANY OF your readers with the family names of Dickenson, Halliday, Hogg, Mansell, Ostrehan, Partridge, Scrivens, Sollars (or Solis), Twining (or Twinning) or Workman may be interested to know that they could have a connection with the charming village of Sheepscombe, on the edge of the English Cotswolds.

Our research into parish records of births, marriages and deaths here has revealed several mentions of these more unusual names, together with the relatively common Smith, Green and West families.

Any reader who thinks that they may have such a connection will be very welcome to contact us. We would be delighted to invite them to a special lunch in the village hall here at the beginning of September, when our local history society will be exploring some family links with the parish.

We will also present a report of our Heartbeat Project, our current conservation initiative.

Tickets will be limited, so it will be a case of first come, first reserved.

Whether or not they are able to visit Sheepscombe we look forward to hearing from all those who may be interested in making this connection.

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Selfishness and greed by bosses

IT has been reported that executives pay has risen by 32per cent while the pay of ordinary workers has increased by barely one per cent – for those who are lucky enough to be still in work that is.

The bosses are getting over 400 times as much as their workers. Meanwhile, bankers have taken bonuses totalling about £12bn this year and HSBC is planning to pay its chief executive £12.5m this year. This is absolute selfishness, sheer greed and a total disregard for the people else.

Unlike the ordinary people, who generally spend what they earn right here, these fat cats take their money abroad.

They know all the tax avoidance dodges and drive top of the range Mercedeses. Talk about a fair society, we are getting back to 19th century.

RON JONES,
St Martins

Jake puts focus on saving school

A YEAR six pupil from the Shropshire border has created a promotional video to show how much he loves his school.

Llangedwyn Primary School was named with 10 other primaries by Powys County Council chiefs on a list to see if it is still viable. Since then people have been rallying around to prove it is a valuable community asset.

Now a video created by 11-year-old Jake Garland, which is on the school website, is being highlighted to show how much people value their school.

Headteacher Sarah Chandler said: "Jake filmed it in his own time after school because he cares about it."

"It was something he decided to do himself and he presented it to us when it was completed."

"It was a bit of a surprise to us that he had made it and it has been put on the website."

"Jake really likes to make movies and it is absolutely fantastic."

Jude Robinson, chairman of the school, is currently updating the website to keep people up-to-date with activities the school provides.

Miss Chandler said: "We are very grateful to her as it is a fantastic website." The school's friends group is now actively working to promote the school to prove it is a viable asset.

It designed a postcard with images of the school on it and on the back the group has put 10 reasons why the school should stay open.

The website is at www.llangedwynschool.org

Five-mile fun run

A COMMUNITY fun run is to be held in Gobowen in August.

The annual five-mile run always attracts competitive athletes along with those wanting to enjoy a run in beautiful countryside.

This year's event will be held on August 5 at the Gobowen pavilion and recreation ground.

One of the runners, Gwyneth Cliffe, said it was one of the Gobowen playing field's main events.

"It was organised by Mike Harrington and originally held on the May Day fun day."

"When that ended Mike continued to organise the run and the Oswestry Olympians also became involved," she explained.

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Pay cuts 'the only solution'

PAY cuts for staff is "the only solution" to solving Shropshire Council's financial headache, according to the authority's leader Councillor Keith Barrow.

The council's cabinet agreed to cut staff pay by 5.4 per cent over two years and staff also face changes to their working conditions, including sickness benefits and annual leave entitlement. The proposals will be discussed at a meeting of the full council on Thursday and the new terms and conditions are likely to be implemented in October.

Councillor Barrow told the cabinet meeting cutting staff pay was vital if the authority wanted to retain jobs and ensure frontline services continued.

Mitigate

Councillor Barrow said: "It is something we would not be wanting to do but because of the level of cuts we are facing, it has got to be done. It is the only solution and we will review it after the first year. That review will be looking at whether we can mitigate some of the effects of the cuts, it certainly will not be looking at making more pay cuts.

"Low-paid workers always seem to be hit the hardest in these things so we are making sure people on the lowest pay scales will not be affected by this because life for them is hard enough, particularly with inflation as high as it is.

"We have consulted widely and I would praise the unions for the very mature negotiations," he said.

"I have spoken to staff and the staff have told me they would rather take a pay cut than have front line services affected. It is quite hard on some senior managers, in some cases, but this is across the board, affecting everybody. We are not asking the staff to do something we are not. Councillors are taking a five per cent cut in our allowances."

Boxer goes on show

THE boxer who floats like a butterfly and stings like a bee will be arriving at Oswestry's art gallery to meet fans.

A larger-than-life eight-foot sculpture of the sportsman Muhammad Ali was created by artist Andrew Edwards and made at Castle Fine Arts Foundries, Llanrhadeir.

It was shipped off to Qatar in the Middle East as part of a sports exhibition and can be seen at The Willow Gallery, along with sculptures from Llanrhadeir, from July 2 to 26.

Bugs welcome at 'hotel'



PUPILS from Churchstoke Primary School are busy building a bug hotel in the school garden to attract wildlife. The hotel is being made up of pallets with slates placed on top and cardboard tubes placed underneath for the little critters to make a home. Keeping a watchful eye are the bug patrol, front from left, Mollie Davies, six, and Ellie Broomfield, four, with, back from left, Albert Clacy, seven, and Callum Bishop, five.

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Club's car wash campaign nets cash for new kit



NEW PLAYING kit is on the way for the ladies of Welshpool Rugby Club – thanks to a day spent washing cars. The girls got the sponges out on Saturday and raised £350 towards a new strip in the Old Station car park. Now they are looking for fixtures for the 2011/12 season. Any club interested should contact the coach and fixture secretary, Nick Larder, on 07967 835393.

Charity barbecue all set to be a sizzling success

ORGANISERS of Saturday's Help For Heroes charity barbecue at Welshpool are hoping for a bumper turnout to beat last year's massive takings.

This year's event at Ysgol Maesdyre has been given a huge boost by several bands and performers agreeing to go on stage free of charge to help the cause.

Last year the fundraiser was a big success, raising £3,617, but organisers are confident that, with the additional entertainment this year, that target will be beaten.

by Graham Breeze

Many of the acts that appeared in the recent Welshpool Music Festival pub sessions will be giving their time to the cause, including Heather Bebb, Storm, Catherine Porter, Billy Spencer, Glow along with DJ Pablo, who helped keep the event running smoothly last year.

The event starts at 1pm and runs right through until midnight with plenty to keep children occupied during the day, including face painting, football and a bouncy castle.

"Health and safety regulations have pushed our costs up this year," said

Harry Gannon, one of the organisers. "But we are grateful to many local people who have given generously to help us cover those extras."

Admission to the event is £10 if tickets are bought in advance or £15 on the day and can be purchased from Harry on 07772 090021, Nikki Davies on 01938 552710 or from Julie at Chris's Hairlines.

Volunteers are also needed on the day and Harry can be contacted on harrygannon22@msn.com or by sending a message to the Help For Heroes Barbecue page on Facebook.

The organisers are still accepting prizes for the raffle.

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Keep town clean call to smokers

CIVIC leaders in Welshpool will be launching a campaign this summer in a bid to stop smokers from dropping their cigarette ends in the town centre.

Welshpool Town Council said the amount of smoke related litter in the town was becoming "completely unacceptable" and said it would be doing all it could over the next few months to combat the problem.

Robert Robinson, town clerk, said the finance and general purposes committee had recommended that a limited advertising campaign should be carried out over the summer months.

He said the matter would be discussed at this week's full council meeting tomorrow night.

"The committee considered the amount of litter created around the town centre by smoking related refuse," he said.

Unacceptable

"The council recognises the right for people to smoke and has no issue with this."

"However, the amount of smoking litter everywhere in the town centre is at an unacceptable level."

"The finance and general purposes committee has recommended that a limited advertising campaign be carried out over the summer months seeking people who smoke and drop their litter to act more responsibly."

Councillor Alan Crowe, for Welshpool, said he hoped people would take on board the messages of the campaign.

"I think wherever you go in the country you will always see a problem with cigarette ends being dumped on the street," he said.

"When smokers finish with their cigarette they normally throw it on the floor and stub it with their foot, without a second thought."

"However, we as a town council want to take pride in our town and hope others can do the same too."

"And if we all pull together and think about what we do before dropping litter we would all be living in a much nicer place."

"I'd like to think that this campaign over the summer months will make smokers think about what they are doing when they finish their cigarette."

"Smokers never stub their cigarettes out on a carpet so why should they do it out on the streets?"

More clothes needed



THE Sue Ryder Care charity shop in Welshpool is on the lookout for good quality clothes to replenish its stocks, along with furniture and bric-a-brac. Among the racks is volunteer Dan Stanton. Picture: Simon Williams

Follow Layla's lead

YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS in the Welshpool area could soon be following the footsteps of award-winning businesswoman Layla Bennett.

The falconry businesswoman from Builth Wells is a previous Young Entrepreneur winner in the Powys Business Awards. But time is running out to enter this year's event and the closing date is next Monday.

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Leader warns of red tape threat to farms

Dance day at residential home



RESIDENTS and staff from Llys Hafren residential home in Welshpool took part in a worldwide 'Shall We Dance' day in association with Bupa as part of an active life campaign.

Performing at the home were the disco dance team from Maesydyre junior school in Welshpool.

With their feather boas, right, are Margaret Morgan, Alex Higson, house keeper and Kath Baliff.

Picture: Simon Williams



by Graham Breeze

RED TAPE is undermining farming in the Welshpool area according to the Farmers Union of Wales.

"An aggressive army of EU auditors incapable of understanding common sense is undermining farmers' efforts by imposing draconian fines for red tape mistakes," said retiring FUW president Gareth Vaughan.

He told the union's annual meeting that confidence remained high within the industry in spite of numerous broken promises by politicians over plans to slash red tape and bureaucracy.

Enthusiasm

"Despite ongoing concerns over the age profile of our farming population, the enthusiasm of our young and upcoming farmers is something which continues to fill me with confidence about our future."

"However, as I think back to how our industry was almost a decade ago, and re-read some of the assurances given to us over the years, it seems that this confidence exists in spite of a host of broken promises."

"Foremost amongst these are the regular assurances by those who govern, with Brussels standing out as a clear winner in the race to go back on their word."

Power goes off

PARTS OF Welshpool were hit by a power cut on Tuesday morning after a trip on an overhead cable caused disruption.

Welshpool High School and The Flash Leisure Centre, along with private residences and business premises across the town were without power after it went down at about 8.30am.

More than 400 properties were affected with a majority back on line by 9am but many, including the school, were off until around 10.30am.

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The new Sunstone counselling centre at Hope House Hospice.

Hospice expands 'to give something back'



In one of the new counselling rooms are, from left, counselling team manager Val Humphreys and director of finance Dave Plume.



In the tranquillity garden at the new centre are family counsellors Suzanne Ellis and Yvonne Stocks. Picture: Simon Williams

SHROPSHIRE'S children's hospice opened its new counselling centre this week and said the project was a way of giving something back to the people of the county.

The Sunstone counselling centre has been built next to the hospice in Morda, near Oswestry.

It will be home to the hospice's specialist counselling team which will be extending its support to many more children and families across Shropshire and beyond.

Originally there to help bereaved families whose children had visited Hope House, the counsellors are now able to offer their help to other families who have lost a child and to children who have been bereaved in traumatic circumstances.

Positive

The centre, named after the symbol for protection and positive outcomes, cost £1.5 million to build and, like the hospice, has been funded with donations from individuals, groups, companies and trusts from across the region.

The centre has a series of self-contained rooms for individual and group counselling which overlook breathtaking tranquil gardens.

Val Humphreys, counselling team manager, said the gardens would provide a calm setting in which children and families could spend time.

"The large stones came out of the ground while the centre was being built," she said.



Simi Epstein, director of fundraising at the hospice with the tree of hope.

"As the garden grows more quiet areas will be created."

"We have such huge support from the people of Shropshire who fund raise for Hope House, this is one way in which the hospice can give something back."

"The counsellors have skills that they can use to help other bereaved families and children as well as those who have visited Hope House."

She said that referrals were now



The tranquillity garden at the new counselling centre.

coming from health care professionals, social services and other avenues.

"We can also go into schools to help if there has been a tragedy, whether it is for one-to-one counselling, a special assembly, or to give support to teachers."

Families, supporters and health care professionals were invited to see the centre this week, before the official opening by retiring chief executive David Featherstone on June 29.

Seats selling fast for coach trips

ANYONE FANCYING a day trip to Portmeirion or Ludlow needs to move quickly to secure a coach seat.

Oswestry Dial-a-ride have been busy promoting their Summer Trip Club, a new initiative for 2011, and places are going fast.

Dial-a-ride have extended their pick-up points to include Powys and the borders as well as Oswestry.

The trips to Portmeirion are scheduled for July 16 from Oswestry and

July 23 from the Powys pick-up and cost £17 per person.

Ludlow trips are taking place on August 13 from Powys and August 20 from Oswestry costing £12.50.

"These trips are proving to be very popular as they provide accessible transport to a lot of people who would otherwise not be able to get out about to enjoy days out," said Liz Hindmarch, Transport and Buildings Manager at Qube.

"As always we are very grateful to our volunteer drivers who make these things possible."

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Friendly folk living on the hill

DOWN YOUR STREET

with Ben Bentley

IT may be something to do with the health benefits of breathing lungfuls of rarefied air at altitude – but life on Borfa Green inadvertently turns into a friendly “who’s lived here the longest” competition.

Which, on the day I spend hanging around on it, is won by Bill Riley, 86 (“87 next birthday,” he points out), who for more than 50 years has called home this circular street with spectacular views out over the Severn Valley and Welshpool itself.

Yes, it’s certainly high up, which is why Bill’s catching the bus into town. And back.

“I’m finishing with driving – you have to use so much concentration doing it now,” he says. “I can’t walk as well I used to be able to, and it is a bit hilly up here. The bus is a godsend.”

People, once they move here, clearly don’t want to leave. But being one of the oldest residents in the street – if not the outright oldest – Bill is able to chart the changes on Borfa Green.

“It has changed, changed a lot,” says Bill. “People have changed. And there were no cars when I came – now houses have two, three or four cars.

“They are building behind my house, or about to start. They used to say you were mad to build on the hills – nowadays they seem to specialise in it.

“But what hasn’t changed is that it’s a beautiful spot.”

Bill worked for 20 years at the tar works in Welshpool; a further 20 as bailiff at Welshpool courts,



Bill Riley – 50 years on Borfa Green and counting...



Jessy Edgar and co-band member Rosie Kumar-Taylor strike a pose during a break from writing.



collecting debts among other duties. “Yes, there were some interesting cases,” he says.

Despite changes, the people of Borfa Green, it could be said, reflect the type of houses that characterise the street: pleasant, honest, solid. The type of folk you can rely upon. The type you can talk to.

Earlier, before I’ve said a word, by way of passing the time of day Bill stops in the street, looks me in the eye and with a smile says:

“What have you done to the weather, lad? It was nice yesterday.”

Such friendliness is probably why so many have lived here so

long. Jill Cooper has resided here for 39 years and thinks of herself as a relative newcomer.

“The neighbours are absolutely fantastic – I can name almost all of them, and it’s not a small street.”

Retired, Jill and her husband Les spend their days on Borfa Green gardening and grandparenting. Jill adores being a grandparent, looking after her kids’ kids whenever possible.

“It’s wonderful, it’s a different relationship from being a mother. You have got more time. You are strict, but perhaps not as strict.”

Jill herself had twins and moved into the house just after they were

born. “I had to push a twin pram up the hill there,” says Jill. “That was hard work but then again I was 40 years younger!”

Next door but one I hear the sound of a vacuum cleaner and find Mary Stephens giving her home the once over.

Mrs Stephens has also lived here for 50 years. “We have always been happy here,” she says. “It was a good place to bring up a family.

“These days it’s a bit of gardening when I can get to it, but it takes time.”

Eventually I find a young family. Julie Taylor is probably the newest addition to the street, having moved here two-and-a-half years ago “to be nearer the school for my daughter”.

She reveals her daughter, Rosie, is in a band – an all-girl punk-rock band that is starting to carve out a name for itself. “I donate my living room to them to rehearse in – they are very good, really starting to get a following.”

She calls upstairs and down

comes 14-year-old Rosie, singer and rhythm guitarist, with fellow band member Jessy Edgar, 16, who plays lead guitar and also sings. “We don’t normally wear pyjama trousers!” she explains.

They don’t normally sit in a bath outside on a grass bank either. Alas, it’s not filming for a comeback episode of *Last of the Summer Wine* – the Taylors are just having a new bathroom fitted, that’s all.

Rosie and Jessy’s group, which has videos on YouTube, its own Facebook page and recently won the school battle of the bands contest and played at Welshpool music festival, is called Operation Minton. “There is a band we like called Elliot Minton, and the cute one in the band is called Ed Minton,” explains Jessy. “We always said we would have a mission to ‘kidnap’ him to have him to ourselves! Hence Operation Minton.”

They say it’s great to sing, play and create music. But if they are ‘rebels’ they are rebels WITH a cause. “We just sing about things



Borfa Green in Welshpool boasts stunning views.



... but there’s to be no football at the row of garages.



Jill Cooper relaxes in her garden.

that matter to our lives,” said Jessy. “I wrote a song called *My Hero*, about my mum, and it made her cry.”

Industry leader in praise of students

COURSES in upholstery organised by an Ellesmere company have been praised by the man at the top of the industry.

Joan Milton operates J A Milton Upholstery Supplies and Furniture Renovators on Ellesmere Business Park and has been organising two-day courses.

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BMX track work set to start

Work should start on a BMX track for youngsters in a village near Oswestry within weeks.

The track at Kinnerley, the result of a major community venture, should be ready for use for the summer holidays.

Youngsters and members of the community have raised much of the £10,000 plus that is needed to build the bike track for the children.

Kinnerley Parish councillors, who have joined forces with the Kinnerley Trackers group, will meet this week to decide where to award the contract for the work.

The Kinnerley Trackers group was formed to try to turn the youngsters' dream of their own BMX track into reality.

Member, Sharon Quayle, said the young people had worked hard to raise money, holding coffee mornings, promise auctions and football matches.

"We were given £2,000 from the council local joint committee and had another donation from the Hilton Jones Trust. We have also now heard that we have been given an Award for All grant which means that things are now moving forward quickly."

"We are hopeful that the track will be built and ready for the school summer holidays."

Summer fair

SENIOR citizens in Oswestry hold their annual summer fair at the Lorne Street headquarters on Saturday.

The Senior Citizens Club event takes place between 10am and noon with admission by programme at 40p.

There is a dance and social evening next Thursday, from 6pm, at a cost of £5.

Sun and champers galore at club's own Ladies' Day

by Graham Breeze

RAIN MAY have dampened enthusiasm at Royal Ascot Ladies Day last week but a group of Oswestry women enjoyed all the glamour and fun of the day in the bright sunshine.

Guests who donned their glamorous outfits, complete with hats and fascinators for the fundraiser at Oswestry's Cricket Club, were greeted with glorious weather.

Emulating Ascot, about 70 guests were treated to champagne and canapes as they mingled on the cricket pitch before a gourmet lunch in a marquee.

It was a stark contrast to the wind and rain at Ascot which had ladies holding on to their hats and resorting to the £20 Ascot umbrella.

The Oswestry socialites enjoyed a talk by an expert tipster, saw the racing televised live on the club's big screen and had afternoon tea, plus evening entertainment with a disco and dancing until late.

Club spokesman Mike Robinson said: "Summer dresses and suits were the order of the day - it was a fantastic day of fun and entertainment."

"While it is great to go to Royal Ascot and enjoy all the atmosphere, this was the next best thing - with the bonus of good weather."



Fun at the races - pictured left to right Trish Jones, Cathy Jones, Glenda Evison and Nonna Drinnan.
Pictures: Simon Williams



Glamorous times - left to right, Samantha Jones, Catherine Howell, Karen Whitehead, Megan Jones and Kelly Mansell.



All set for the races - Carly Jackson, left, and Sarah Whitthead.



Dressed up for the occasion - Rebecca Sanders, Sharon Davies and Gail Baker.



Checking the racing form, left to right, Emily Bajcer, Charlotte Gwynne and Alice Parker.

Watching out for the town

WELSHPOOL police are going mobile in a move to get more people involved with Neighbourhood Watch.

Members of Welshpool Neighbourhood Policing Team will be at the mobile police station parked in Tesco car park between 10am and 2pm on Saturday.

The move is part of a national campaign to get more people involved in Neighbourhood Watch.

"Neighbourhood Watch is a tool that helps people and the community to keep an eye out for each other, report anti-social behaviour and anything else that is suspicious or out of the ordinary," said PC Jim Baines.

"Welshpool is a very safe place to live and being involved in these schemes can only make the area even safer. There are currently three schemes which work with police in Welshpool."

"The co-ordinators of these schemes are in regular contact with the police and information is shared about on-going issues."

Anyone interested in getting involved should attend on the day, visit www.our-welshpool.org.uk or call police on 101.

You can also email welshpooltownnpt@dyfed-powys.pnn.police.uk

Fun at the fair

THE friends of Ysgol Gynradd Llanfair Caereinion will be holding a summer fair fun day at Carmel Caravan Park on July 2. The event, starting at 12pm, will be raising funds for various projects. There will be refreshments, food, stalls, games and various activities.

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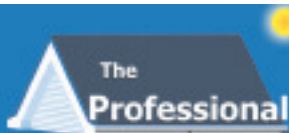
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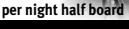
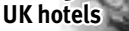
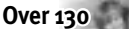
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Carnival hailed a great success

THE ANNUAL carnival was hailed a 'great success' at Llanfair Caereinion on Saturday as hundreds lined the streets.

The rain held off and crowds turned out to enjoy the sights and sounds and make it a day to remember for the Powys town.

Ceri Stephens, the carnival secretary, said that while numbers were not the highest ever, the community had put huge effort into it.

She said: "We had been forecast rain, but luckily it all held off and thanks to the tremendous community effort we made a great success of it."

Following the carnival procession, activities began on Mount Field with Carnival Queen Imogen Kelsey officially opening the event.

The procession through the streets was followed by the hoards of walking fancy dress groups and the crowd enjoyed entertainment from a marching band.

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Refurbished home has stunning views over the Dee Valley

In the village of Garth, near Llangollen, but enjoying an excellent degree of privacy afforded by its mature, well screened gardens, Derwen Hall is in a desirable location with stunning southerly views across the Dee Valley.

The present owners have completed an extensive sympathetic refurbishment to provide a home of character and appeal, retaining a variety of 19th Century original features whilst incorporating a high standard of modern appointment and fresh, tasteful decoration.

The four bedroom house has grounds extending to about 1.5 acres. Derwen Hall is priced at £495,000. For more information contact Wingetts on 01978 861366 or visit www.wingetts.co.uk

Charming smallholding oozes Christmas spirit all year round

A charming country smallholding cottage with a separate, two-bedroomed holiday annexe, extensive grounds and woodland has come on the market with Berrys.

Sycamore Cottage, Leighton near Welshpool, extends to seven acres and is being offered with a guide price of £430,000.

The smallholding comprises a three bedroomed cottage together with adjoining Cow Shed Cottage, currently used as a holiday let.

The properties are surrounded by private gardens, a vegetable area, pasture land, recreational mixed woodland and commercial Christmas trees.

Sycamore Cottage has oil fired central heating and double glazing and has been cherished by its current owners, who have been there for more than 45 years.

The accommodation has exposed beams throughout

and includes a sitting room with wood-burning stove; kitchen/dining room with an oil-fired range; a utility room with a door to the rear patio and connecting door to the annexe; a downstairs cloakroom, three bedrooms and a bathroom.

The adjoining Cow Shed Cottage was converted into a holiday cottage sleeping up to six people.

It could be used as an annexe if required, and has shared or its own access.

Landscaped gardens include well-stocked perennial borders with two ponds, a vegetable garden and a soft fruit area. Beyond the gardens lie 1.7 acres of pastureland and parcels of deciduous trees and commercial Christmas trees.

The land offers complete flexibility and an exciting opportunity for those wanting to continue the Christmas tree enterprise or enjoy and manage the sur-

roundings for amenity purposes. "This delightful smallholding offers an exciting opportunity for a self-sufficient lifestyle with the potential of generating an income from the timber and holiday cottage enterprises," said Sarah Reece who is handling the sale for Berrys at Shrewsbury.

"The vendor operates an established Christmas tree business from the property, with varying ages of trees planted across the holding which are sold wholesale and also on a 'pick your own' basis," she explained.

"Smallholdings such as this are a perfect way of entering the 'land' market which is so buoyant at the moment, offering versatile accommodation for the family and animals, including horses, with the chance to bring in an income, if required."

For more information contact Berrys on 01743 271697 or visit www.berrybros.com



Revamped property surrounded by glorious countryside

A newly-refurbished home – set in approximately three quarters of an acre, with stunning views over the Vymwy Valley – Ty Mawr Barn, Llansantffraid, provides four-bedroomed family accommodation for a negotiable asking price of £375,000.

The home has a contemporary farmhouse style kitchen and spacious rooms with exposed beams.

Off a private driveway, shared with two other properties, it has oil fired central heating, a private water supply and private biodisk septic tank. Long term grazing is available to let nearby.

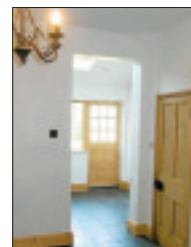
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PROPERTIES OF THE WEEK



Three-storey town house has been modernised

Recently modernised, this three-storey town house is within walking distance of Oswestry town centre and is priced at £134,500 with no onward chain.

Number 4 Bridge Terrace, Whittington Road, has three bedrooms – the master having an ensuite shower room – as well as two reception rooms and an L-shaped kitchen/breakfast room. Outside is an enclosed rear lawned garden with paved patio.

For more information please contact Morris Marshall & Poole on 01691 679595 or visit www.morrismarshall.co.uk



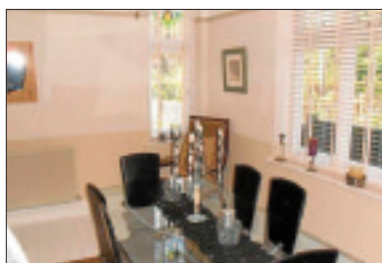
Brand new detached home has five bedrooms

Fintilly, 7 Oswalds Well Lane, Oswestry, is a new and beautifully appointed detached house on the market for £285,000.

The extensive accommodation includes cloakroom, large sitting room, dining room, fully fitted kitchen/breakfast room with a range of appliances, utility room, five bedrooms on the first floor with ensuite shower room and family bathroom, and second floor bedroom six with ensuite.

To the front is a driveway providing ample parking and an attached garage.

For more information please contact Bowen Son & Watson on 01691 652367 or visit www.bowensonandwatson.co.uk



Traditional semi packed with original features

This mature and traditionally styled three-bedroom semi-detached house provides substantial and well proportioned family accommodation. Haulwen, Abbey Road, Llangollen, retains a wealth of original character with a pattern tiled floor in the entrance hall, spindled oak staircase balustrade and original fireplaces in the lounge and dining room.

The house is set within pleasant gardens that are terraced to the rear, and is on the market with a guide price of £269,950.

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PROPERTIES OF THE WEEK



Charming stone cottage backs on to open fields

This appealing two-bedroom period stone cottage offers immense character. Perrywell Cottage, 2 Princes Terrace, Ruyton-XI-Towns, is available for offers around £119,950 and has been greatly improved by the present owners while retaining many original features. The accommodation includes a generous living room with original stone fireplace, kitchen, dining room, bathroom, gas-fired central heating, and spacious well stocked gardens bordered by fields to the rear.

For more information please contact Zaza Johnson & Bath on 01743 248351 or visit www.zjandb.com



Four-bed residence offers scope for expansion

Oakdale, Briedden Place, Trewern, is an extremely well presented four-bedroom detached executive home located on a select development constructed by Fletcher Homes. The accommodation is spacious and well laid out, and there is scope to extend the property further using the loft space, which could easily accommodate two further bedrooms and ensuites. On the market for £260,000, Oakdale could lend itself well as a Bed & Breakfast, subject to purchasers' requirements.

For more information please contact Hall on 01938 555552 or visit www.hallsestateagents.co.uk



Executive dwelling set in good-sized gardens

Number 17 Withy Avenue, Forde, is a three-bedroom executive style detached house. The master bedroom has ensuite facilities which, together with the shower room and ground floor cloakroom, have been refitted with jacuzzi sanitary ware. The reception hall, lounge and dining room feature solid oak flooring and many rooms enjoy a dual aspect which allow for a great deal of natural light. The property occupies a generous level plot with gardens to front and rear.

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NEW

**CALA HOMES
COPTHORNE
GRANGE
MYTTON OAK ROAD
£284,950**

THE GRASSINGTON, PLOT 72 - A brand new four bedroomed, three storey, end terraced house, situated in a popular and convenient location, close to excellent amenities, Royal Shrewsbury hospital and the nearby town centre.
The accommodation will benefit from gas fired central heating, double glazing and comprise; entrance hall, cloakroom, open plan living room/dining room/kitchen on the ground floor. Master bedroom with en suite shower room and living room to the first floor. Three further bedrooms and family bathroom to the third floor. Gardens. Garage and parking space. Contact Miller Evans for further details.



**5 WORTHINGTON
DRIVE
RADBROOK
£299,000**

A particularly well maintained and especially well appointed and presented modern detached 4 bedroomed family house occupying an enviable corner plot on this popular and established residential development within easy reach of excellent amenities.

The property benefits from gas fired CH and DG and briefly comprises; entrance hall with cloakroom, through lounge, dining room, study, fitted breakfast kitchen, utility room, master bedroom with en-suite shower room, 3 further bedrooms, family bathroom, double garage, ample parking space and good sized neatly kept garden to the front and rear.

**71 HEREFORD
ROAD
BELLE VUE**



£125,000

- Mature semi-detached house of character
- Living room, dining room, kitchen, cellar
- 2 beds, bathroom
- Good sized rear garden
- Double glazing, gas-fired central heating



THE TOWER HOUSE WENLOCK ROAD

An impressive, detached house of Edwardian charm and architectural appeal, arranged over 3 floors.



The accommodation briefly comprises; reception hall, sitting room, drawing room, dining room, cloakroom, a spectacular open plan kitchen/family room with dining area with adjoining utility room. On the first floor master bedroom with en suite shower room, 2 further bedrooms with bathroom, kitchenette and staircase to a second floor with 3 further bedrooms and access to the tower with its spectacular far reaching views. Extensive gardens and parking.

£725,000



**132 CROWMERE
ROAD
MONKMOOR
£195,000**

A spacious, extended and much improved, semi-detached, 5 bedroom family house, situated in this convenient location, well placed within reach of excellent local school, amenities and the town centre.

The accommodation has the benefit of gas fired CH and DG and briefly comprises; entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, sitting room, dining kitchen, utility room, master bedroom with en suite shower room, 4 further bedrooms and family bathroom. Ample parking, attractive, well stocked, enclosed rear garden.



**8 CORNDON CLOSE
SUNDORNE
£155,995**

- A fully modernised and improved, large style 3-bedroom semi-detached family house
- Well planned and well presented accommodation
- GF CH, extensive PVCu DG
- Garage with utility area, ample parking space, large gardens with vegetable plot
- Enervable cul-de-sac position, popular location



**16 MONTGOMERY WAY
SUNDORNE
£169,950**

- A neatly kept, modern, 3 bedroom semi-det house
- Well appointed, neatly presented and well maintained throughout
- Gas fired CH, PVCu DG
- Good sized garage, ample parking, neatly kept gardens to front and rear
- Pleasant cul-de-sac position - no chain.



**27 PRIORY RIDGE
OFF LONGDEN
ROAD
£209,950**

A well situated extended mature 3 bedroomed semi-detached house occupying an elevated corner plot in this popular residential area within walking distance of local schools and Shrewsbury town centre.

The accommodation has the benefits of gas fired CH and DG, is of generous proportions and briefly comprises; reception hall, through lounge/dining room (could be divided if desired) extended kitchen/breakfast room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, wc, detached garage and front, side and rear gardens.

**119 ABBEY
FOREGATE
£495,000**

A well presented and well proportioned Period Town House presented to a particularly high standard, close to the town centre. Inspection is highly recommended.

The property benefits from gas-fired CH and briefly comprises :- Entrance hall, sitting room, dining room, rear lobby, cellarage, utility room, breakfast kitchen, cloakroom, master bedroom with en suite bathroom, 3 further bedrooms and family bathroom. Well stocked and attractively landscaped garden and hardstanding providing parking.



**11 SHERBOURNE
ROAD
THE MOUNT
£349,000**

A superior spacious modern individual detached family residence situated at the end of a pleasant and sought after cul-de-sac occupying an elevated position with views over central green, convenient for the town centre.

The property benefits from gas fired CH and DG and briefly comprises :- entrance hall with cloakroom, lounge, study, large well equipped dining/kitchen, utility area, master bedroom suite with en-suite bathroom with shower cubicle, 3 further bedrooms, family bathroom, large double garage, ample parking, good sized gardens with ornamental fish pond and patios.



**56 HAZLEDENE COURT
LONGDEN COLEHAM
£129,950**

- Second floor retirement apartment for the over 60 s
- Living room, dining kitchen
- Large double bedroom, shower room
- DG and electric heating
- Residents parking, communal gardens, secure door entry system



**24 SUTTON LANE
£175,000**

- A modern, 3-bedroomed semi-detached family house
- Extended to the rear, well appointed and improved
- Gas-fired CH, decorative leaded light windows to the front
- Garage, ample parking space, gardens to the front and rear
- Popular residential area close to excellent amenities.



**214 THE CEDARS
ABBAY FOREGATE
£119,500**

- An attractive 2 bedroom retirement apartment on sought after development with residential house manager
- Electric night storage heating, sealed unit DG
- Balcony overlooking communal gardens
- Convenient location close to the town centre, parking space



**24 TUDOR ROAD
THE FARTHING'S
£155,000**

- A modern semi-detached residence on sought after development
- 3 beds, bathroom with shower
- Lounge, dining room, kitchen
- Rear gardens, garage and parking for at least 4 cars
- Gas fired CH and PVCu DG



BADGER HOUSE 1A PENGWERN ROAD

An individual, well appointed, detached split level residence in a much sought after and highly desirable fringe of town location close to the Quarry Park and the Town Centre.

Entrance vestibule, reception hall, cloakroom, bedroom 4, sitting room/dining room, conservatory, kitchen, rear lobby, utility room, master bedroom, second bedroom and principal bathroom, bedroom 3 and ensuite bathroom. Gas fired CH and DG. Double garage, parking space. Attractive well stocked gardens. NO CHAIN

£495,000



**6 MONTAGUE PLACE
BELLE VUE
£155,000**

A particularly attractive and very much improved, mature, 2 bedroom terraced house, presented to a particularly high standard and situated in this much favoured and highly desirable, quiet location within walking distance of excellent amenities and the nearby town centre.

The accommodation has the benefit of gas fired CH and briefly comprises; entrance hall, dining room, living room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and luxury bathroom. Attractive well stocked landscaped garden. Internal inspection highly recommended.



**OAKDALE
10 ELLESMERE ROAD
£195,000**

A well presented, mature semi-detached 4 bedroomed family house situated within easy walking distance of Shrewsbury town centre and all its amenities.

The property benefits from gas fired CH, PVCu DG and briefly comprises; entrance porch, reception hall, lounge, dining room, breakfast room, refitted kitchen, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, front and rear gardens.



**2 SPINNEY PATH
MONKMOOR
£115,000**

- Well presented modern end terraced house
- Lounge, dining area, kitchen
- 2 beds and bathroom
- Enclosed garden, CH
- Convenient location, close to good amenities



**14 BROADWAY CLOSE
SUTTON FARM
£154,995**

- A well appointed and extended 3 bed semi detached house
- Much improved and attractively presented throughout
- Gas fired CH, DG
- Garage, ample parking, neatly kept gardens
- Pleasant cul-de-sac position

2 VAUGHANS COTTAGES WELSHPOOL RD

£118,000

- Well appointed and much improved terraced house
- 2 good size bedrooms
- Newly fitted breakfast kitchen, lounge
- Gas fired CH
- Courtyard garden



54 OAKFIELD ROAD COPTHORNE

£190,000

- Mature semi-detached residence in need of some modernisation
- 3 beds, bathroom
- Living room, sitting room, kitchen
- Good sized gardens, concrete sectional garage, parking for several cars
- PVCu DG, gas fired CH



62 THE MOUNT

£195,000

An attractive 3 bedroomed period town house situated in this sought after desirable and convenient location within easy walking distance of the town centre. The property benefits from gas fired CH and briefly comprises: entrance hall, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, useful cellar, 3 bedrooms, family bathroom and to the rear an attractive paved garden with spectacular view.



73 MOSTON ROAD SUNDORNE

£119,500

- Fully modernised 3 bed mid terraced property
- Neatly presented and much improved accommodation throughout
- Gas fired CH and DG
- Good sized neatly kept rear garden with 2 dry stores
- Popular and convenient location close to amenities



4 CARRINGTON CLOSE THE MOUNT

A particularly well appointed and well maintained, superior, detached 4-bedroomed family residence occupying an enviable position in this small exclusive residential cul-de-sac situated on the western fringe of Shrewsbury.

The accommodation benefits from gas-fired CH and comprises:- reception hall with cloakroom, lounge, dining room, study, fitted breakfast kitchen, master bedroom with en suite dressing room and en suite shower room, guest bedroom 2 with en suite shower room, 2 further bedrooms and family bathroom. Double garage, ample parking space. Neatly kept, well stocked enclosed garden.

£399,000



14 BENBOW QUAY COTTON HILL

£210,000

An immaculate, stylish, 3 storey, 3 bedroom town house, situated in a popular and convenient location, within walking distance of the nearby town centre with all its amenities and transport facilities. The accommodation has the benefit of electric heating and DG and briefly comprises: spacious living room with mezzanine kitchen/dining room over, inner hall, utility room, cloakroom. Master bedroom with en suite shower room, 2 further bedrooms and principal bathroom to the second floor. Communal parking with allocated parking space. Inspection recommended.



180 CROWMERE ROAD BELVIDERE

£127,950

- Modern semi-detached house in need of some modernisation
- Living room, dining kitchen, conservatory
- 3 beds and bathroom
- PVCu DG, gas fired CH
- Popular and convenient location close to excellent amenities



10 HARDWICK DRIVE COPTHORNE

£265,000

A particularly well appointed and truly immaculate, modern, detached chalet residence situated in a quiet cul-de-sac on this highly desirable and much sought after residential development within easy reach of excellent amenities. Inspection is highly recommended. The property benefits from full gas-fired CH and DG and briefly comprises: entrance porch, reception hall with cloakroom/shower room, attractive lounge, dining room, well appointed fitted breakfast kitchen, ground floor bedroom 3, on the first floor there are 2 further double bedrooms and a luxuriously appointed family bathroom. Garage. Built-in garden store. Ample parking space. Neatly kept, well stocked landscaped gardens to the front and rear.

SOUTHCOTE, 28 RIDGEBOURNE ROAD



An attractive, superbly appointed, mature, detached 4-bedroomed residence in premier residential area.

Reception hall, cloakroom, drawing room, sitting room/snug, dining room, large breakfast kitchen, utility, master bedroom with dressing room and en suite bathroom, 3 further bedrooms. Gas-fired central heating, double glazing. Garage, parking. Attractive gardens.

£595,000



ST OSBURGS ALTON TERRACE BELLE VUE

£475,000

An impressive, detached Victorian, six bedroom family town house, situated in a quiet and secluded position, within short walking distance of the town centre with all its amenities.

The accommodation has the benefit of gas fired CH and briefly comprises: entrance vestibule, entrance hall, living room, dining room, inner lobby, cloakroom, breakfast room, kitchen, utility, cellar. Master bedroom with en suite bathroom, 2 further bedrooms and luxury bathroom with Jacuzzi and sauna to the first floor. 3 further bedrooms and shower room to the second floor. Private walled gardens. Ample parking. Internal inspection highly recommended.



8 WESTBOURNE RISE BAYSTON HILL

£179,995

- Mature 3 bedroom semi-detached family house
- Neatly kept and well improved throughout
- Electric CH, DG
- Garage, ample parking, good sized garden
- Cul-de-sac position on popular residential development

22 PRIMROSE TERRACE CASTLEFIELDS

£142,000

- An attractive 2 bed terraced house
- Much improved and tastefully modernised throughout
- Gas fired CH, together with woodburning stove
- Attractive, well stocked, landscaped garden and parking to the rear
- Popular convenient location within easy reach of Town Centre



10 DALTON DRIVE THE MOUNT

A superior, improved, detached 4 bedroom family house, situated in a pleasant cul-de-sac position on this highly desirable and sought after exclusive residential development.

Entrance porch, reception hall, cloakroom, lounge, breakfast room/family room, kitchen, utility room, dining room, conservatory, master bedroom with en suite shower room, guest bedroom with en suite shower room, 2 further bedrooms and principal bathroom. Double garage, ample parking. Gas CH. DG. Neatly kept, well stocked gardens.

£429,000



18 COPTHORNE GATE FRANKWELL

£135,000

- Modern 2 bedroom leasehold first floor apartment
- Neatly kept and well appointed throughout
- Electric panel heating, DG
- Allocated parking space
- Popular fringe of town centre location



45 UPPER ROAD MEOLE BRACE

£239,750

A particularly attractive, well appointed and especially well presented, mature 3 bedroom semi-detached house, situated in this pleasant village location, well placed within reach of excellent amenities.

The accommodation has the benefit of gas fired CH and briefly comprises: entrance hall, sitting room, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, cloakroom, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Attractive landscaped gardens. Parking.



178 COPTHORNE ROAD COPTHORNE

£275,000

A well maintained and appointed semi detached extended family residence, situated in one of Shrewsbury's most popular areas within easy access of the town centre with all its amenities.

The accommodation has the benefit of gas CH and partial DG and briefly comprises: entrance hall, lounge, dining room, sun room, breakfast room, fitted kitchen, master bedroom with en suite shower room, 3 further bedrooms and family bathroom. Large gardens and ample parking.



8 WHITEHALL MANSIONS MONKMOOR

£184,995

A spacious, second floor apartment situated in this superb period building within walking distance of the town centre and its amenities with easy access to the Shrewsbury by-pass with M54 link to the West Midlands.

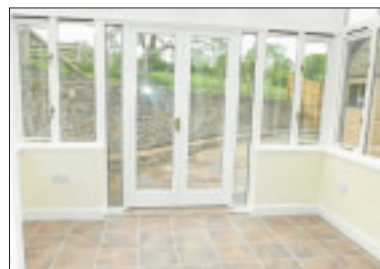
The accommodation has the benefit of electric heating and briefly comprises: entrance hall, open plan living kitchen, master bedroom with en suite shower room, second bedroom and family bathroom. Secure parking and communal gardens.



Well presented family house overlooks farmland

Located on a quiet lane on the edge of Baschurch, 6 Nobold overlooks farmland to the front. The well maintained detached family house has four double bedrooms and three separate reception rooms, as well as a lovely fitted kitchen/breakfast room. Outside are well kept gardens, ample driveway parking and an attached garage. The home has gas-fired central heating and double glazing and is on the market for £360,000. For more information please contact Morris Marshall & Poole on 01743 247755 or visit www.morrismarshall.co.uk

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Eco-friendly home includes solar panels

The Hawthorns is a recently constructed detached house in traditional Welsh stone situated in the popular village of Llansilin. This is a well designed four-bedroom home with well planned accommodation on a generous layout priced at £250,000. The property has been completed to a high specification with eco-friendly systems including solar panels and a rainwater harvesting system.

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Walking bus celebrates bypass safety

CHILDREN TOOK part in a mass walk to school to celebrate the opening of Four Crosses new bypass which has made the area safer.

A multi-million pound improvement scheme for the A483 opened last month and now takes thousands of cars and lorries away from the heart of the village.

This is much to the delight of parents, staff and pupils of Llandysilio Primary School who have more confidence to walk to school. In celebration the school organised a walking bus event.

Doreen Davies, deputy head, said about 20 per cent of the 130 pupils were now walking to school on a regular basis since the bypass opened.

She said: "A lot more children walk to school now that the road has opened. It is now safer for us."

The idea to create a walking bus for a day was taken from a national event held across the UK. The event was co-ordinated by road safety charity Brake and sponsored by fuel brand Jet to raise awareness of the number of children killed and hurt on roads, help schools teach pupils about road safety and appeal to drivers to slow down.



Pupils from Llandysilio School taking part in a giant walking bus event

Former soldier drove at 97mph through thick fog

A FORMER soldier who drove at 97mph through thick fog in a temper because of problems at work has been warned by a judge that he could have caused death or serious injury.

Overtake

Peter Arthur Sherwood, 48, of Parc yr Onnen, Llanfair Caereinion, had several "near misses" during the 15 to 17-mile journey in Mid Wales on the morning of March 28, Mold Crown Court heard.

One incident saw him overtake another car approaching an accident blackspot at Trevern.

Sherwood admitted dangerous driving during a hearing last week but escaped a jail

sentence, receiving a 24-week prison term which was suspended for 12 months, and he was ordered to carry out 250 hours of unpaid work.

He was disqualified from driving for 12 months and told to pay £340 costs.

The court heard in order to keep his job he now had a flat in Shrewsbury close to his work where he lived during the week, and returned home at weekends.

Judge Nicolas Parry said: "You could have caused death or serious injury."

Matthew Curtis, prosecuting, said officers spotted Sherwood in a VW Golf at 6.29am on March 28. He was travelling through thick fog towards Welshpool at 97mph.

Debra White, for Sherwood, said her client was suffering from depression and stress at work.

Cream tea for charity

A CREAM tea will be held in Oswestry in aid of the Sudden Adult Death Trust.

The event will be held on June 26 from 3pm at the Senior Citizens' Centre in Lorne Street.

There will be a raffle and lucky entrance ticket. Tickets cost £4.

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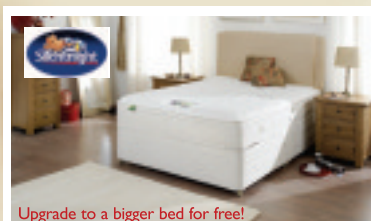
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FEATURE

Life is good now for bad girl Debra

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EX-CORONATION Street and Bad Girls actress Debra Stephenson talks about her impressions of the famous, family life and homeopathy.

It's quite disconcerting to suddenly find yourself amid a gaggle of celebrities, but that can easily happen at the home of impressionist Debra Stephenson.

One minute, she's perched on a kitchen stool chatting away over coffee, the next she's conjuring Cheryl Cole and mimicking Davina McCall, with Lorraine Kelly and Kirstie Allsopp thrown in for good measure.

That hilarious demonstration of her skills is useful as she and Jon Culshaw prepare for a third series of BBC One's The Impressions Show, which will be shown in the autumn.

"I still love doing all my favourites like Cheryl but we're also working out new ones for this series," she promises.

"Although, I'm not sure whether Davina - who I love as a person and as an impression - will return as we've done so much of her. She's been very tolerant so far, but I'm worried she might start getting fed up with it."

Stephenson's busy career - she recently appeared in episodes of BBC One's Waterloo Road - is built around her family life. Two years ago the actress, 39, her husband, James Duffield, a builder, and their children, Max, eight, and Zoe, four, moved from London to a house near the beach at Poole, Dorset, for lifestyle and health reasons.

Wonderful

Both youngsters suffered as babies from a common condition, bronchiolitis, an inflammation which reduces the amount of air reaching the lungs making it difficult for children to breathe. Stephenson's daughter had a life-threatening attack when she was six weeks old.

So although leaving the capital has, she reveals, cost her the opportunity of a few roles, she has no regrets.

"While it might seem an odd location for an actress, it's so wonderful here," she says.

"I feel the air's cleaner and fresher here and it's better for the kids and I've got such a good work-life balance now. I can run along the beach to keep fit which doesn't feel like a chore!"

Stephenson's own precocious gift for comedy and impressions shaped her own very different childhood in Yorkshire - at 13 she was performing on the tough working men's clubs circuit in the North.

The Hull-born schoolgirl won nationwide acclaim aged 14 as a finalist on the BBC talent show Opportunity Knocks.

At 16 she provided voices, including Diana, Princess of Wales and Esther Rantzen, for ITV's satirical puppet show Spitting Image, and went on to fulfil her early promise with a career that's encompassed documentary, comedy and drama.

Most notably in 1999 she played Shell Dockley in ITV1's



Debra Stephenson who now has a good work-life balance after moving from the capital

prison drama Bad Girls, and then starred for two years in Coronation Street as glamorous Frankie Baldwin, wife of Danny (Bradley Walsh).

Fights involved in the role in Bad Girls often left her bruised and gave her first-hand experience of homeopathy, when an on-set nurse treated them with remedy, arnica.

"I was amazed at how effective it was at minimising the discoloration and it encouraged me to find out more about other remedies," says Stephenson who supported the recent Homeopathy Awareness Week.

"My view is that homeopathy is what you can do before you go to a doctor, not instead of going to a doctor, and it's a way of being positive and pro-active about health."

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Student thrilled by award

AN OSWESTRY schoolgirl is celebrating this week after winning a top scholarship to one of the country's most prestigious universities.

Oyin Johnson, a sixth former at Oswestry School, won the scholarship to the London School of Economics where she will be studying law.

"I am absolutely over the moon," said Oyin, who is originally from Nigeria and dreams of eventually becoming attorney general in her country of birth.

"I applied in April and didn't hear a thing until last week when I got a letter from the LSE."

Oyin has been awarded the scholarship on condition she achieves an A* and two A grades in her A levels.

Douglas Robb, headmaster of Oswestry School, said that everyone at the school was delighted for Oyin.

He added: "We are all thrilled because not only is Oyin very bright and hard working, but she is also a really lovely girl and extremely popular."

"We wish her all the very best for the future and I am sure she will go very far."

Oyin's scholarship – called the Pauline Aviges Graham Scholarship for African Women – can be used to pay the tuition fees for the three-year course.

Sports funding

TWO sports clubs have gained funding from Powys County Council Sportlot Community Chest.

Technogroup Welshpool FC have been awarded £1,000 and Montgomery Cricket Club gained £700.

Llangynog Entertainment Committee was also awarded £235.

Lesley's wild idea brings power to transform lives

AFTER surviving a number of painful life experiences, Lesley Long has used her past to help inspire and build confidence in women from across the country.

Ms Long, 54, from Llanfair Caereinion near Welshpool, set up her business Women Go Wild Outdoors in 2008 to transform her passion of empowering women into reality.

She has created a space to help ladies of all ages and walks of life find a moment of fun in their chaotic, traumatic or stress-filled life and develop friendships, find direction and a future.

Activities

Her businesses is proving a success and this month she launched her first residential weekend, Go Wild for a Change, which uses a number of outdoor activities for women looking for self discovery and life enhancing experiences.

She is also organising a charity Women Go Wild event on September 4 to raise cash for MIND mental health charity.

Her passion to help women came from her own life story, which she believes is proof that women can do anything.

Life started in Essex before she moved to Glasgow, Edinburgh and Wrexham. She then ran away from home to France and only returned to England to study for a degree in Southampton.

At the age of 28 she set up her own businesses in management and development.

Nine years later she married, and had her daughter a year later. But she became ill with postnatal depression.

Then things got worse when she discovered her husband was having an affair. "I was devastated to find out," she said. Suddenly she found herself a divorced, single parent. "I was alone and I was terrified."

But she decided not to give in and signed up for an outward bound course which changed her life.

WOMEN OF SUBSTANCE

with Chrissy Symmons



"I needed to find out how to deal with fear so I put myself on the course."

"I wanted to find out what really frightened me. I thought if I could deal with that I could deal with being a single parent. I found I was scared of heights and a trapeze jump. Now whenever I am faced with something I don't think I can do, I only have to remember the trapeze. I visualise that and say if I can do that, I can do anything."

In 2002 she married again "in haste".

"It was not a good plan and I ended up giving away all my equity and money to my new husband when I realised it was not a good marriage."

She left with her daughter and found herself again on an adventure holiday surrounded by other single mothers. In the evenings they would pour themselves a glass of wine and encourage each other.

At this time she was so depressed she was "on the point of being suicidal" but discovered being with friends pulled her back.

This inspired her to start Women Go Wild Outdoors with life coach Kate Rigbi and partner Meryn Scott.

"It made me aware how many other women are in this place and don't talk about it. Because of the stigma attached."

"If somebody says why you are here? I say I am here to inspire other women to be everything they can be."

"I am nothing special but I can turn round and say I know, I have done it."

For more information visit the website www.womengowildoutdoors.com and for mind visit www.mind.org.uk



Lesley Long who set up her business Women Go Wild Outdoors

Owner's apology to locals

A SHROPSHIRE man has apologised to householders for worrying them while trying to find his cat.

Gareth Jones knocked on doors near the racecourse and in the Pant Glas area, desperate to track down six-year-old Nyla.

But worried residents, concerned Mr Jones's story was a ruse, called the police.

He only learned of their worries when a police officer rang him, using the number on his missing cat poster.

Mr Jones said he was sorry he had sparked concern. "I would probably have been just as sceptical if someone had knocked on my door," he said.

Mr Jones lives at The Wern, Weston Rhyn, but has been staying with friends at Oswestry's Racecourse.

"Nyla and her sister came with me, as they always do," he said. "But on Friday Nyla went missing. We have searched and searched but we just can't find her."

He walked from the racecourse to his home in case Nyla tried to find her own way back. Anyone who may have seen the tabby cat should contact Mr Jones on 07809 472549.

Gardens opened to the public

AS PART of National Garden Week, Callum Johnston and Brenda Moor will be opening up to the public at Tanylln, Meifod on July 2 and 3. On Thursday, July 7 the gardens of Glansevern Hall at Berriew will open and on Friday, July 8 Mrs Heike O'Hanlon will open the gates to her garden at Penymaes, Llansantffraid.



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Murder mystery



THERE'S going to be a murder at Oswestry Cricket Club tomorrow – but it's all in aid of Breast Cancer Research and Care.

Attfield Theatre Company will be acting out the murder mystery to raise funds for Breast Cancer Research and Care on Friday at 7.30pm.

Guests will have to solve the murder that takes place during the annual general meeting at Little Puddle-In-The Marsh Cricket Club, over a two-course buffet dinner at a cost of £17.50 a ticket.

For further information and tickets contact Debra Collings on 07792 898810 or email debra.collings@bt.com

Acting out the mystery will be Attfield members, pictured left to right, Bill Lewis playing William Box, Chris Hughes playing Kitty Katt, Wayne Young playing Andrew Stressed and Charlie Samuels playing Honour Promise.

GIG GUIDE

with Chrissy Symmons



CLASSICAL music will be celebrated on the Shropshire/Welsh border this week with a gold-themed festival.

The Music Room at Gregynog Hall, in Tregynon near Newtown, is hosting the Gregynog Festival which includes a host of audible delights.

Thought to be one of the oldest classical music festivals in Wales this year's programme will provide a range of concerts through the week until its final day on July 3.

Acts performing include Iranian-born harpsichord virtuoso Mahan Esfahani and London Baroque, both playing on June 25, a string quartet from America on June 26, William Mathias Violin Sonatas on June 29 and The Revolutionary Drawing Room on June 30.

Some of the shows for the festival will be taking place in Aberystwyth, Kerry, Montgomery and Shrewsbury.

For tickets and more information call 01686 207100 or email post@gwylgregynogfestival.org.

On Friday night a castle near Oswestry will be transformed into a venue for an open air theatre production. Whittington Castle, in Castle Street, will be showing the production of Daisy Pulls it

Off. The comedy is performed by members of the Mikrokosmos Theatre Company which hails from Wales.

People are encouraged to bring a picnic, a bottle of wine, a chair or a rug, and a hog roast will be available.

The production tells the story of schoolgirl Daisy who has won a scholarship to study at a boarding school.

She finds herself entangled in a number of adventures including the search for hidden treasure.

The play was a hit on the West End and has won the Olivier Award and Drama Theatre Award for Best Comedy.

Tickets cost £10 or £8 for concessions and starts at 7.30pm.

Mediterranean

An evening of food and music will be held at Oswestry's restaurant The Walls on Saturday from 7.30pm.

Live Mediterranean sounds will be performed at the Welsh Walls establishment by group Synergy.

The three guitarists will play a set of musical delights including flamenco and other classics from across the globe.

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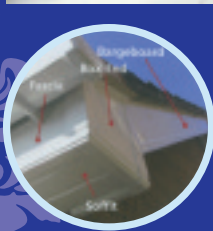
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WHAT IS going on with the weather? We've had a several major events across Shropshire turn into a bit of a washout recently when we really could have done with the sunshine.

I suppose with the Wimbledon Tennis Tournament on at the moment, topped off with the Glastonbury festival, it is bound to continue to be unsettled. Good old British summer, I still haven't managed to spark the barbecue yet.

Joy Blizard joined me earlier this week to talk about Recycle Now week which is an initiative run by Shropshire Council. Joy entertained us with a whole host of hints and tips on recycling, helping cut down our CO2 whilst saving plenty of money in the process. You can hear the interview again on my podcast which you can hear via shropshirestar.com

In local news; A charity concert is being held on Saturday, July 2, at the Isidell School, Shifnal, from 7.30pm, featuring the Shifnal and District Male Voice Choir and the mixed voices from the group Of One Accord.

Tickets are £7 available from Kevin O'Connor on 01952 592591. All money raised from the concert will go towards the Hope House Children's Hospice in Oswestry.

Also worth a mention this week is the Ellesmere Rotary Club Bellboat Regatta on Sunday, July 3. It will include a day-long re-enactment of Norman life in the 12th Century, as well as the Bellboat races on the Mere, stalls, a fun-fair, Body Bounce, don-

key rides and face painting as well as refreshments and a bar. Proceeds from the event will go to Hope House and the Sequal Trust. Contact Geoff for more information and to register for the races on 01939 270313.

Remember, if you are a local group or are holding an event and would like myself or The Severn Team to get involved then drop me an e-mail with all the information and we'll try and give you a mention during the breakfast show and I will do my best to attend; e-mail me neil.bentley@thesevern.co.uk. You can always contact the studio by phone on 0333 456 0777.

As we are talking about recycling this week I need to draw your attention to this information I was sent this week.

Apparently the Mitchell family from East-Enders have been named the nation's greenest soap family. A month long study of characters from four soaps looked at green criteria like how often they used things like public transport and electrical appliances. The Mitchells - in particular Phil's wife Shirley - were judged to be the greenest, ahead of Emmerdale's Dingle family and Coronation Street's Websters in third.

Now as positive as this is, surely the people behind the study failed to notice that the characters are only in view for a few minutes per week, what about all the stuff they do when not in view? Now I come to think about it, have you ever seen any kerbside recycling boxes on any of the soaps?

The Neil Bentley Breakfast Show, weekdays from 6am on 106.5, 107.1 and 107.4fm The Severn. Follow us on Twitter @thesevern or listen online at www.thesevern.co.uk

Railway memorial

THE FAMILY of a former chairman of the Welshpool & Llanfair Light Railway have unveiled a plaque in his memory.

Family and friends of Ken Fenton joined staff and volunteers to celebrate just how much he meant to the heritage line.

He was chairman of the W&LLR operating company for 35 years and by the time he retired in 2005, the railway had been transformed from a shoestring operation running trains over only half the line's length, to the highly successful tourist attraction it is today.

Under the guidance of Ken and his board, staff and volunteers at the railway made a tri-

umphant return to Welshpool in 1981, including building an entirely new station.

Members celebrated the line's centenary in 2003 in grand style, a milestone culminating in the award of the MBE to Ken that year.

He died in 2009 but there was nothing melancholy about the special train run on Saturday, hauled by one of the original locomotives no 822 'The Earl'. Railway members, family and friends swapped stories of Ken during a lunch at the Raven in Welshpool, and on the return to Llanfair Ken's granddaughter Rosie Schubert unveiled a plaque in his memory on the station booking office.

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Jobs joy as superstore unveils plan to expand



An artist's impression of the new Stans supermarket

A ST Martins supermarket is expanding its operations over the Welsh border, creating at least 20 jobs, following major investment.

Stans Superstore is to open a new supermarket and fuel station in Llangollen.

Negotiations for the site, beside the A5 road in Llangollen, have been completed after almost 30 months, Andrew Faulks, a partner in Stans, confirmed.

The cost of the new store is being kept under wraps, but the development is expected to involve a "seven figure investment" for the company in

a move which will create full and part-time jobs.

"Work on clearing the former garage site should be completed by the end of June and construction work is expected to take five or six months, so we plan to be open before Christmas," said Mr Faulks.

"We are very excited to be moving into Llangollen and look forward to serving such a popular and vibrant town."

Construction work will be carried out by Jones Brothers of Weston Rhyn, Oswestry, a company which has carried out a lot of development work for Stans. Planning consent has been obtained for a 3,000sq ft store and an

eight pump filling station on the site of the garage, formerly run by Cyril Hughes.

The garage was closed following Mr Hughes's death nine years ago and the site has been standing empty since then.

Mr Faulks said the only drawback to the site was a relatively small number of parking spaces.

He said: "But the site is close to Llangollen's main 250-space car park."

Mr Faulks thought about half a dozen staff from the St Martins store would transfer to Llangollen but the remainder of the jobs would be filled locally.

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MARKET REPORTS

Welshpool livestock sales

Messrs Morris Marshall & Poole and Norman Lloyd report on a highly successful auction at Buttington Cross, Welshpool, on Monday.

OTMS (69)

An entry of 69 OTMs sold to average 112ppkg for the 54 cows forward, 128ppkg for the 2 bulls, 1 under 48 month old heifer and 1 steer sold to 124ppkg and 118ppkg respectively. A limousin cow weighing 844kg achieved £1291.32 from CV & EM Lewis, Garth Vaughan. D A Jarman Waen sold a Charolais cow weighing 722kg and making £1034.48. CV & EM Lewis, Garth Vaughan, also sold an under 48 month heifer to a top price of £1044.38. CV & EM Lewis Garth Vaughan receives the Briarwood Products Ltd prize of £25 for the highest ppkg older cow sold on the day.

FAT CATTLE (13)

An entry of 13 fat cattle sold to average 155ppkg for the steers and 160ppkg for the Heifers. S F Jones Malgwyn sold two heifers to 177ppkg which was bought by M J Birtwistle & Co and 175ppkg went to Rikki Lloyd of Welshpool. PE & BM Bailey, Pantmawr, sold three Charolais steers to 160ppkg, 159ppkg and 153ppkg. The Briarwood Products Ltd prize of £25 for the highest ppkg beast sold on the day.

PRIME LAMBS (4491)

An entry of 4491 spring

lambs, selling to an average of 208.4ppkg.

Super Lights (9) to 224ppkg from E T Owen & Son Llwydiarth Hall.

Lights (398) to 225ppkg from D G Jones, Cefnhrifawr. Others to 222ppkg from W I Ellis Talwrn. Average of 215ppkg.

Standards (1519) to 240ppkg from NG & GG Davies, Trawsgelli. Others to 240ppkg from G E Davies & Sons, Brynduland. Average of 208ppkg.

Mediums (2335) to 237ppkg from DC & PE Hughes, Cae Sidan. Others to 234ppkg from NG & GG Davies, Trawsgelli. Average of 208ppkg.

Heavy's (134) to 208ppkg from J Lewis, 2 Laundry Cottage. Others to 207ppkg from G Evans & Sons Upper Frydryd. Average of 200ppkg.

CULL EWE (2988)

Another good entry of 2988 cull sheep sold to average £60.17 per head for the ewes and £74.20 for the rams. D R Turner Cefn, Dolgwen, sold ewes to a top price £120 per head. G R B Sayce, Toll House Cottage, sold ewes £114 per head. D E S & E R Bickerton, Lloran Ucha, and E H Pennie & Son Gwernychain sold cull rams to a top price of £128 per head. Cull wether sold to £90 from Lewis Jones Ynys Hir.

STORE SHEEP

A reduced entry of couples this week to include a two year old ewe with a single lamb reached £100 from WL & HA Williams Wynnora Machynlleth and 61 hogs and lambs

entered the market this week selling to an average of £152.24. A texel hogg with twin lambs at foot topped the sale at £206 from F Bailey Pennsarn, Ystrad Meurig. Welsh mule hogs with single lambs at foot made £170 from W Watson Bryndu Llanbadarn Fynydd.

The trade has dropped slightly due to the high level of 154ppkg for the steers and 149ppkg for the heifers. Top prices achieved where as follows:

COWS & CALVES

An entry of 59 breeding bulls met generally with a harder trade with fewer buyers in attendance than the last weeks. Nevertheless some excellent pedigree Limousin cows and calves from D R Owen & Sons Sandilands met with a good trade selling from £2250 to a top of £2500 to average £2345. Another two pedigree Limousin cows from J & G Burroughs Holly Farm

Whitchurch sold a third calver with a heifer calf for £2020 and a first calver with a bull calf for £2350. D P Evans Moelygarth sold three limousine first calvers with bull calves at foot for £1390 and £1300 twice. Presented by RD & SL Parry Tycharllyn was a Belgian Blaux cow with a Limousin Heifer calf which sold with a Limousin Bull for £1340. R H Lewis & Son sold five Limousin calves at foot from £1130 to a top of £1350 to average £1255. A 2002 born pedigree Belgian Blue Bull from I & J Evans LLwyn Hywel sold for £1800, whilst a Charolais Bull

from J S Vance Upper Grimmer sold for £2800. A Breakdown of all prices achieved where as follows: £2000+ 9 lots, £1800 - £2000 1 lot, £1200-£1400 12 lots, £1000 - £1200 20 lots, less than £1000 15 lots.

STORE CATTLE

A seasonal entry of store cattle sold to average 154ppkg for the steers and 149ppkg for the heifers. Top prices achieved where as follows:

Steers: Belgian Blaux (x1) 475kg £760 S J Smith Penybryn.

Salerx (x2) 473kg £720 J T Francis & Co Penygae.

Limousin (x1) 455kg £715 A C Thomas Middle Gwernerin.

Limousin (x1) 440kg £695 A C Thomas Middle Gwernerin.

Limousin (x2) 355kg £602 E J & ME Davies Coedprydau.

Heifers: Limousin (x1) 380kg £700 A C Thomas Middle Gwernerin.

British Blaux (x1) 515kg £700 C Woosnam & T A Mathias Forest.

Salerx (x1) 395kg £685 J T Francis & Co Penygae.

Limousin (x1) 455kg £680 I R H Bebb Fridd Cowny.

Limousin (x1) 400kg £680 A C Thomas Middle Gwernerin.

Forthcoming Sales

Monday, June 27, Cows and Calves; Monday, July 4, Dairy Cows; Monday, July 11, Texel Fat Lamb Competition, Store Cattle and Weanlings and Cows and Calves; Monday, July 18, Dairy

Cows; Monday, July 25, Cows and Calves and Store Cattle; Monday, August 1, Dairy Cows; Monday, August 8, Cows and Calves; Monday, August 15, Dairy Cows; Monday, August 22, Cows and Calves; Friday, August 26, Welsh Premier Texel Show; Saturday, August 27, Welsh Premier Texel Sale and Monday, August 29, Dairy Cattle, Store Cattle and Weanlings inc Organic Store Cattle.

Oswestry Cattle Auctions

FAT CATTLE: (61)

Not a bad show of cattle forward but more cattle desperately needed considering the trade we've had. An overall market average of 160p was achieved. Top slots hit 192p for Steers, 187p for Bulls and 186p for Heifers. Highest price in the lump was £1368.00 for a bull.

Bottom book included in the average was 60p for a plain friesian bull. If you have cattle to sell please contact the Auctioneer Jonathan Evans on 07971 002650 or the Market office.

Young Bulls (27) Overall Average 158p.

Light Bulls (3) Average 110.5p (£425/head) Selling to 134p from G A G Evans Trawscoed Bach.

Medium Bulls (9) Average 152p (£775/head) Selling to 180p from E J Jackson Lane Farm.

Heavy Bulls (15) Average 166.5p (£1065/head) Selling

to 187p from S Hudson Wood Farm.

Steers (10) Overall Average 152p.

Medium Steers (5) Average 152p (£820/head) Selling to 181p from B T Jones & S Ingram Plas Onn.

Heavy Steers (5) Average 152p (£925/head) Selling to 192p from A & J Powell Bro-niarth Hall.

Heifers (24) Overall Average 168p.

Medium Heifers (7) Average 169p (£765/head) Selling to 180p from P G & V Jones Tynyceilyn.

Heavy Heifers (17) Average 165p (£895/head) Selling to 189p from P G & V Jones Tynyceilyn.

Another firm consistent trade, more cattle needed to satisfy demand. Thank you for your support.

FAT LAMBS: (2716)

Following a drop in the trade over the first two trading days of the week we had an excellent entry of 2716 on Wednesday 15th June 2011.

This was 800 more lambs forward on 2010 entry. The average was 204.5p/kg on the day compared with 169p/kg 12 months sooner.

331 light lambs were in very keen demand averaging 214.5p/kg and peaking at 229p/kg from L Moreton Castellmoch Fach with 29kg lambs making £66.50. 1329 standard lambs averaged 202.5p/kg peaking at 223p/kg from H G Jones Brynmawr with 35kg lambs fetching £78. 914 medium lambs averaged 204p/kg with a top of 225p/kg from DS & GM Pryce

Coedmawr with 40kg lambs making £89.80. Overweight of 50kg fetched £100.50 from C E Blake Argoed and 55kg lambs making £103.50 from H G Ellis & Co Tynywern.

Superlights to 208p Lights to 229p average 214.5p. Standards to 223p average 202.5p. Mediums to 225p average 204p. Heavy's to 201p average 193p. Others to 188p average 185p. Overall average 204.5p.

The auctioneers would like to congratulate all the vendors on a good quality show of lambs and encourage further entry each week to fulfil demand.

FAT EWES: (1154)

Ewes to £113.00 average £61.50, Rams to £136.00, average £84.00.

Please Note: All sheep entering the market must be tagged.

CALVES: (61)

Marginally fewer forward selling to a more difficult trade except for best continental bulls. Friesian bulls 50% of the entry hardest to sell. An exceptional trade for best bulls with Belgian Blue topping at £338 from Messrs Owen Tanycoed £305 from Messrs Williams Gilfach £294 from Messrs Davies Lower Fawngon. Limousin Bulls to £328 from Messrs Ellis Henlie £306 from Messrs Bowen Glanwentynt £295 from Messrs Roberts Pentre David. Charolais Bulls to £304 from Messrs Clay Brook Farm £298 from Messrs Harding Llwyn-gwyn. Charolais Heifers to £262 & £245 from Messrs

Evans Brwyn. Belgian Blue Heifers to £264 from Messrs Edwards Tynywdd £252 from Messrs Davies Lower Fawngon. Friesian Bulls to £100 from Messrs Roberts Pentre David, £99 & £85 from Messrs Williams Gilfach £75 from Messrs Morris Ceunant £80 from Messrs Manley The Firs.

U48 & O48 CULL COWS: (57)

An entry of 57 cattle again met with an excellent trade with all breeds and types of cattle in demand. Top price £1109.25. Top price per kilo 146p.

Cows: Belgian Blue to 146p average 133.70p/kg.

Limousin to 135p average 124.90p/kg.

Friesian to 121p average 103.70p/kg.

Hereford to 116p average 114.34p/kg.

Simmental to 124p average 120.63p/kg.

Heifers: Charolais to 129p average 120.55p/kg.

Limousin to 145p average 132.46p/kg.

Belgian Blue to 133p average 130.58p/kg.

Steers: Continentals to 139p average 136.44p/kg.

Bulls to 127p average 125.64p/kg.

57 cattle average 117.05p/kg.

If any vendor has changed their Farm Assured details please could you notify the market office 01691 650347 so our database can be updated many thanks.

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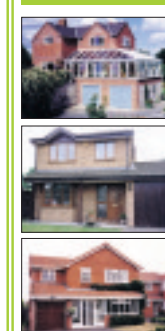


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Audi's TT coupe wins prizes – but diesel isn't quite up to spec

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AWARDS just keep coming for Audi's iconic TT range, with judges claiming the coupe is better than ever.

The guys at *What Car?* magazine know a thing or two about coupes and they have named the TT as their car of the year for the fifth year running.

I won't argue with the experts, because I am a great fan of the TT, although the 2.0 litre Quattro diesel just tested was not as good as I had expected.

TDi Quattro TT sounds like an odd mix but it does work – although the 170bhp on test did not have the punch of its bigger brothers.

Format changes

Diesel format changes the character of the TT and it's nowhere near as exciting to drive as it is in petrol format, and, for me, that defeats the object.

I wanted my TT to give me the usual buzz, but it just wasn't there on this occasion.

On the other hand there's outstanding economy to consider so it all depends what you are looking for.

I'll wager the petrol model continues to be more popular than its diesel equivalent.

The 170bhp model is smooth, revs freely and delivers brisk performance and the real bonus is over 50mpg.

The TT TDI engine has to fit transversely into its compact engine bay incorporating advanced injection technology.

All engines have six-speed manual gearboxes as standard and most are available with an excellent S tronic six-speed semi-auto box.

The outstanding grip and sharp steering provided by four wheel drive power is the same as you



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would get at the top of the petrol powered range and you get a comfortable ride.

The TT gets a good amount of safety kit, including electronic stability control and front and side airbags.

Your car should be well defended from thieves, too, with an engine immobiliser and alarm provided as standard.

I simply love the TT's distinctive flat-bottomed sports steering wheel, and everything about the controls oozes quality which is typical of the brand.

Visibility in the TT has always been outstanding for a sports Coupe and there was no change there. But, despite there being two rear seats, the TT is certainly only a two seater – you wouldn't get a dwarf in the back.

I've always been impressed by the amount of head, shoulder and leg room but there's very little

space for storage – even a water bottle was hard to accommodate. The 50/50 split rear seats fold flat to boost practicality but even then the TT failed the golf club test.

Styling is enhanced by alloy wheels while standard luxuries include climate control, remote central locking and leather upholstery. There are electric windows and mirrors.

The model tested costs just over £28,000 to put

on the road and gets you from 0-60mph in 7.5secs and top speeds at 140mph.

The real bonus is an average combined fuel consumption figure of 53mpg and CO2 figures of 139g/km that makes the model an interesting option for the business user, looking for something to stand out from the crowd.

Not my favourite TT, but still an impressive addition to the brilliant Audi stable.

Nuts and bolts

Audi TT Coupe Sport 2.0 TDI Quattro

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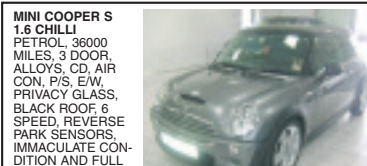
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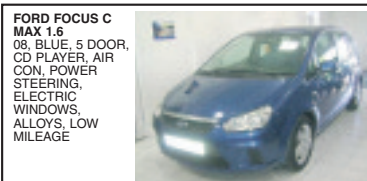
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PLACINGS

FBC Manby Bowlder Cricket League

DIVISION 1				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Wroxeter	8	5	0	158
Alberbury	8	5	2	130
Knockin & Kinnerley	8	3	1	130
Condon	8	3	1	125
Frankton	8	3	3	123
Forton	8	4	2	116
Lilleshall	8	2	3	105
Montgomery	8	2	4	94
Condover	8	2	3	85
Welshpool	8	1	3	85
Pontesbury	8	1	3	82
Llanidloes	8	0	5	40

DIVISION 2				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Bishop's Castle	8	5	2	145
Market Drayton	8	4	1	133
Ellesmere	8	4	2	119
Tibberton	8	3	1	116
Iscoyd & Fenna Bk.	8	3	2	104
Church Stretton	8	3	4	101
Acton Reynald	8	3	3	96
Wellspring	8	3	3	90
Wiley	8	3	4	90
Cae Glas	8	2	3	85
Harcourt	8	2	3	81
Church Stretton	8	1	5	60

DIVISION 3				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Whittington	8	4	0	146
Corvedale	8	5	1	145
Wheaton Aston	8	5	0	133
Beacon	8	2	1	114
Cound	8	2	1	107
Shifnal	8	2	1	104
Chelmarsh	8	2	3	85
Trysull	8	2	4	79
St Georges III	8	1	5	74
Pontesbury II	8	0	4	70
Shrewsbury III	8	2	5	57
Whitchurch	8	0	6	42

DIVISION 4				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Grove	8	6	1	141
Wroxeter II	8	5	2	136
Oswestry III	8	3	1	123
Hodnet & Peglow	8	4	2	122
Wellington IV	8	3	1	112
Montgomery II	8	3	2	106
Church Aston	8	3	3	104
Knockin II	8	1	3	85
Alberbury II	8	1	3	84
Calverhall	8	1	4	77
Harcourt	8	1	3	68
Hinckley	8	0	7	27

DIVISION 5				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Newport III	8	4	2	124
Gulfside	8	4	1	124
Bridgnorth III	8	3	1	120
Overton	8	3	2	110
Market Drayton II	8	4	2	108
Welshpool	8	2	4	103
Hales	8	3	2	95
Condover II	8	1	3	83
Frankton II	8	2	4	80
Acton Reynald II	8	2	4	83
Quayside	8	0	3	62
Ludlow III	8	1	5	60

DIVISION 6				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Prees	8	3	2	128
Shifnal IV	8	3	2	123
Wem III	8	1	0	121
Forton II	8	3	1	114
Worfield	8	4	3	105
Welshpool III	8	2	1	104
Cae Glas II	8	7	1	101
Tibberton II	8	1	3	67
Much Wenlock III	8	2	2	61
Bomere Heath III	8	1	3	52
Bishop's Castle II	8	1	7	40
St Georges IV	8	0	4	27

DIVISION 7				
	P	W	L	A Pts
Team	8	5	0	138
Beacon II	8	5	0	131
Knockin III	8	2	1	123
Oswestry IV	8	4	1	123
Quatt III	8	4	0	123
Grove II	8	5	2	116
Lilleshall III	8	5	1	116
Corvedale II	8	3	2	103
Wiley II	8	3	2	102
Ellesmere II	8	2	4	88
Madeley III	8	2	2	85
Whitchurch IV	8	2	3	87
Allocton	8	2	4	84
Alberbury III	8	1	4	63
Wellington V	8	1	4	59
Calverhall II	8	2	3	49
Pontesbury III	8	1	3	40
Whittington II	8	1	6	31
Llanidloes II	8	0	6	21

Birmingham Cricket League				
Division 3				
	P	W1	W2	Bat Bwl Pts
Brewod	8	3	2	4 5 138
Barnards Green	8	1	5	0 3 137
Oswestry	8	3	1	8 9 129
Lichfield	8	2	1	9 10 112
Tarnworth	8	0	3	10 10 106
Studdley	8	1	2	6 14 93
Wednesbury	8	1	0	11 17 85
Penn	8	1	1	5 13 89
Colehill	8	1	0	9 15 83
Handsworth	8	0	1	11 16 61
St Georges	8	0	0	11 16 42
Sutton Coldfield	8	0	0	12 15 36

2nd XI				
Division 2				
	P	W1	W2	Bat Bwl Pts
Lichfield	8	1	3	6 7 128
Oswestry	8	1	3	7 16 112
Penn	8	0	3	9 13 107
Fordhouses	8	1	2	7 4 100
Smethwick	8	1	2	6 7 99
St Georges	8	1	3	8 8 89
Brewod	8	0	3	7 8 82
Wednesbury	8	1	2	4 8 81
Sutton Coldfield	8	0	1	13 11 73
Cannock	8	0	1	9 17 62
Whitchurch	8	1	0	9 14 54
Acton Manor	8	1	1	12 12 50

FIXTURES

FIXTURES: Division One: Alberbury v Lilleshall, Forton v Frankton, Llanidloes v Condon, Montgomery v Condover, Pontesbury v Wroxeter, Welshpool v Knockin & Kinnerley.
 Division Two: Church Stretton v Market Drayton, Ellesmere v Tibberton, Frankton II v Iscoyd & Fenna Bank, Lilleshall II v Bishop's Castle, Wellington II v Cae Glas, Wiley v Acton Reynald.
 Division Three: Beacon v Pontesbury II, Cound II v Whittington, Shifnal III v St Georges III, Shrewsbury v Church Aston, Tibberton II v Chelmarsh, Wheaton Aston v Corvedale.
 Division Four: Harcourt v Oswestry III, Llanidloes v Welshpool, Church Aston v Montgomery II, Grove v Alberbury II, Harcourt v Oswestry III, Llanidloes v Welshpool, Church Aston v Montgomery II, Grove v Alberbury II, Harcourt v Oswestry III.
 Division Five: Acton Reynald II v Ludlow III, Bridgnorth III v Overton, Condon II v Newport III, Frankton III v Hales, Gulfside v Welshpool II, Market Drayton II v Quayside.
 Division Six: Bishop's Castle II v Much Wenlock III, Cae Glas II v Pontesbury III, St Georges IV v Shifnal IV, Tibberton II v Forton II, Wem III v Bomere Heath III, Worfield III v Pontesbury III.
 Division Seven: Alberbury III v Madeley III, Beacon II v Whitchurch II, Church Aston II v Welshpool II, Corvedale II v Oswestry IV, Grove II v Wiley II, Lilleshall III v Knockin & Kinnerley III, Pontesbury III v Ellesmere II, Wellington V v Llanidloes II, Whittington II v Alloston III.

Winning draw wipes out last week's misery

Knockin & Kinnerley (15pts) 171-7 drew with Llanidloes (8pts) 145-8
 Knockin & Kinnerley responded to last week's defeat by claiming a winning draw against bottom of the table Llanidloes at the Nursery Ground on Saturday.

Winning the toss and electing to bat, skipper Hugh Morris was pleased to see solid foundations being laid by newly formed opening partnership Paul Higginson and Bluey Thomas with an opening stand of 80.

It was Higginson who fell first for 40 which then started a mid-order collapse as 80-1 then read 96-3 and then 115-5 as Llanidloes started to apply some pressure.

Dave Jones (34no) and Ash Varley (20) repaired the damage and

set Llanidloes a victory target of 172 from their 45 overs. For Llanidloes, spinner Foulkes took 5-39 from 13 overs supported by Simon and Robert Jones who took a wicket each.

In reply Llanidloes got off to a horror start, losing their first three wickets with just 15 on the board and it appeared that the draw was at the forefront of their mind with only 10 overs bowled.

Knockin continued to apply pressure with attacking fields and wickets fell regularly but not often enough as the innings closed on 145 for the loss of 8 wickets.

The Llanidloes total inflated largely down to some hitting from Llanidloes skipper Rob Jones who ended on 48 not out and Joe

Pritchard (36) who also played well. For Knockin Ash Varley bowled great lines to take 4-51 and skipper Morris returning with 3-26 from 13 overs bowled.

Next week Knockin make the short journey to Maes-y-Dre to take on Welshpool.

Oswestry III, 170-9, (14pts) drew with Knockin & Kinnerley IIs (8pts) 142-9

Oswestry 3rd XI entertained Knockin & Kinnerley 2nds on Saturday and came out with 14 points to the visitors' 9 in a well contested match. Batting first, Oswestry managed to accumulate 170 from their 40 overs for the loss of 9 wickets with Dominic Bright (43) and skipper Paul Baker (28no) the main contributors.

For Knockin, Jules Gallimore and Seth Bradbury both took 3 wickets and young Marcus Williams a brace.

In reply Knockin had Mike Gray (32) to thank for holding their innings together with only Jamie Jagger (19) and Jules Gallimore (18) really offering any support.

The Oswestry bowlers bowled well and couldn't quite collect all 23 points as Knockin held out 9 wickets down on 142, Elliot Dyke returning with excellent figures of 6-45 from 17 overs bowled.

Knockin & Kinnerley III, 215 all out, (23pts) beat Whitchurch IV, 119 all out (6pts) by 96 runs

In the division seven clash between Knockin and Kinnerley 3rds and Whitchurch

4ths it was Knockin who came out on top.

Batting first, Knockin rattled up 215 before being bowled out in the 39th over thanks to contributions from Nigel Leadbeater (52), Shane Moses (33), Carl Morris (23) and Mac Nieve-Davies (21). For Whitchurch Chad Johnson and Megan Jones both grabbed a couple of wickets.

Whitchurch in response were never really on target to overhaul the Knockin total, eventually being bowled out themselves in the 39th over for 119 with extras top scoring with 25.

For Knockin Jake Richards, Barry Hawkin and John Leadbeater all took two wickets to seal the victory and take all 23 points.

Tuffin's men hit by heavy defeat

Montgomery, 103 all out, lost to Frankton, 193 all out, by 90 runs

Crumbling Montgomery batting condemned them to a heavy defeat away at Frankton.

Asked to bowl first the openers Neil Tuffin and Jack Williams restricted the dangerous Frankton batting but early wickets were hard to find and it was only with the introduction of Ed Davies' that progress was made.

The dismissal of Sri Lankan Nalaka da Silva for 93 lifted Montgomery's spirits, but Justin Brooks (66) carried on to provide the major innings and hard hitting at the end by Thomas Wilkie (23) meant that the innings reached 193 at the end of 40 overs despite an outstanding bowling performance by Ed Davies (6-68).

Skipper Neil Tuffin's confidence in a strong batting line-up didn't last long as Sam Davies, Aaron Ruff-Cock, Ed Davies and Tim Davies all fell in single figures and it was left to Rob Kinsey (22), Richard Blayney (14) and Jack Williams (14) to scrape the innings beyond the 100 mark.

When the innings ended on 103 all out at the end of the 34th over the losing margin of 90 runs represented one of the heaviest defeats of Neil Tuffin's captaincy.

He said: "We'll have to bounce back after two defeats in a row, but we are confident of getting a result at home against Condover next week."

Montgomery IIs 96-5, beat Calverhall 95 all out by five wickets

THE Montgomery bowlers, in particular Charlie Clinton, dominated the Calverhall batting and chased down the total of 95 for the loss of only five wickets with Charlie Clinton underlining his potential as a match winning all-rounder with the main contribution.

Seconds off the top

Oswestry Seconds were knocked off the top of the table when they were well beaten at Lichfield on Saturday.

The home side totalled 187-9, despite some fine bowling by Kevin Evans (5-30), but Oswestry were dismissed for just 55 in reply.

Oswestry Fourth's secured the club's only victory of the weekend, seeing off Ellesmere Seconds by five wickets.

Adrian Griffith took 5-40 as Ellesmere were dismissed for 129, and there were two wickets each for Josh Kirk and Owen Aspinall. Mike Lewis was comfortably top scorer for Ellesmere with 49.

John Aspinall (62no) continued his fine run of form as he led Oswestry to 130-5 in reply.

Brown in fine form

GUILDFIELD enjoyed a convincing 137-run victory over Quayside in their division five clash.

Put into bat Guils made 75 not out and David Hughes 48.

Brown then took 4-19 with the ball as the visitors were skittled out for just 70 with only two batsmen reaching double figures.

Dave Williams took 3-9 off six overs while Matthew Jones took 3-19 off nine as Guilsfield eased to a comfortable victory.

Disappointing day with both bat and ball for Oswestry



Cae Glas's Tim Turner bowls to Church Stretton's Martin Nichols.



Cae Glas' John Clarke bowls to Church Stretton's Martin Nichols.

Edgerton hat-trick helps Glas to seven wicket win

Cae Glas, 77-3, beat Church Stretton, 76 all out, by seven wickets

A GARETH Edgerton hat-trick helped Cae Glas to a seven wicket win over Church Stretton in division two on Saturday.

The Cae Glas bowling attack used all their experience and guile to restrict Church Stretton to a modest 74 all out.

Chief destroyer was second change bowler Gareth Edgerton whose figures of 4-7 included an all clean bowled hat-trick which destroyed any hopes of a Church Stretton revival.

Meanwhile, at the other end seamer Tim Turner helped himself to 4-26 with a spell of swing bowling which was at times almost unplayable.

The Glas reply was full of confidence as opener Adri Griffiths eased his way to 36 before being trapped LBW for the fifth time this season.

But the victory was sealed inside 17 overs as experienced middle order left Nigel Evans plundered 19no to secure the victory.

Cae Glas II, 112-8, (8pts) drew with Bomere Heath III (13pts) 147-8

Cae Glas II visited Bomere Heath III and a disappointing batting display left them some way short of their target as they returned to Oswestry with a second successive losing draw.

Earlier in the day a decent performance in the field had left Bomere on 147-8 from their 40 overs.

Pick of the visiting bowlers was Nick Chesters who took 6-31 from 11 excellent overs, but all the bowlers contributed well and Ian Holgate conceded only 20 runs from 10 miserly overs.

After tea The Glas got off to the worst possible start and found themselves at 21-4 from 16 overs and fighting a rearguard action.

Not for the first time this season the middle order dug in with everyone making a contribution to the final total of 112-8.

Top scorer was man-of-the-match Nick Chesters who remained undefeated on 24.

OSWESTRY found themselves outplayed with both bat and ball as they slipped to third place in the Birmingham Cricket League division three with a disappointing seven-wicket home loss at the hands of Lichfield.

Looking to keep the pressure on the leaders with a fifth straight win, the Morda Road men were found wanting in a below-par display.

Despite the reverse, however, Mark Robinson's side are still only nine points behind new leaders Brewod.

Having gone into last week's encounter in confident mood after reeling off four successive victories, they would not have foreseen the emphatic defeat as they crashed down to earth with a bump.

"It was similar to the Barnards Green game earlier in the season when we just did not perform," admitted captain Mark Robinson.

"In hindsight we should have bowled first after winning the toss, but we've won games

by batting first this season and I had confidence in the batsmen.

"However, we did not bat well apart from Joe Clarke who was out to a smart slip catch. That was the only positive.

"It was a below par performance, and it was difficult to defend a total like that."

The Morda Road batsmen never came to terms with the Lichfield attack, and were bowled out for just 140.

Only Joe Clarke (29) and skipper Mark Robinson (20) put up any resistance.

In reply, the Lichfield batsmen set about the Oswestry attack in some style, with Jonathan Bassett-Graham blasting 77 not out.

They reached their target at 141-3, with Warrick Fynn (2-22) the only Oswestry bowler to come out of the game with any credit.

In midweek, Oswestry had put up a superb performance in the Birmingham League Twenty20 competition when they beat Shifnal – two divisions above them in the league set-up – by 10 runs.

Great start

A Shropshire semi-final date against Whitchurch on June 29 is next in line – and a big crowd will no doubt turn up at Morda Road for a repeat of a North Shropshire derby Oswestry so narrowly lost in the same competition last year.

Alex Huxley and Warrick Fynn got the border men off to a great start at Shifnal, and the score was 53-0 after just five overs.

The late arrival of county paceman Jonny Mountford slowed the scoring down a little – as did four wickets by spinner Tom Collins – but with Mark Robinson adding 30, Oswestry finished on 138-7, with Huxley unbeaten on 68.

Another county player, Anthony Parker, scored 47 in Shifnal's reply, during which Oswestry bowled 16 overs of spin.

And it was left to 16-year-old Robbie Clarke to deliver the last over with the home side needing 13 to win.

Clarke displayed nerves of steel, not only keeping the Shifnal batsmen quiet – but also taking two wickets as the innings closed on 128-9 to give Oswestry victory.

Bad balls punished to the boundary

Lawrenson sharing an unbeaten stand worth 45 for the fourth wicket.

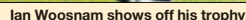
Golfer hits out at tournament decision to replay first round

**So close
and yet
so far
from win**

Around the greens

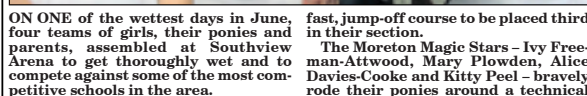
Medal: 1 Jean Ferries & Sue
Newman 86-22=64, 2 Gina
Hatt & Elsa Gwilt 89.

Woosnam ends his long wait for taste of victory



saw this course I knew it was right up my street and I knew if I could drive the ball a little bit better than I had been on late then I knew I had a chance. I managed to do that and you saw the outcome."

Teams qualify for championships



Despite the soggy ground, three out of four teams got placed in three separate classes and two teams have qualified for the National Championships at Addington Equestrian Centre on

The Moreton Minis - Bridget Tate, Flora Moreau and Ellie Russell - rode

Flora Moreau and Elin Russell - rode beautiful, stylish, clear rounds with Felicity riding bravely to secure an easy win the 70cm Jumping With Style

The same team also rode well in the Under-15 doubles competition held at Ellesmere College earlier this month. They were convincing winners over

show jumping competition navigating the hosts and then Corbet School from successfully around a really twisty, Baschurch.



ABOVE LEFT: Tennis Aces – from left, Kate Pumphrey, Grace Hacking, Izzy Croft and Lottie Edwards who were winners of the north Shropshire under-15 doubles competition held at Ellesmere College where the four girls teamed up to take home the trophy.

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SPORT

PLACINGS

Whitchurch Bowling League

Division one: AWC A 217, Hamner A 198; Chester Rd A 234, Bridgewater A 194; Childs Eccall A 207, Wern USG A 222, Con Club 205; District A 187, Ellesmere A 219, Preses A 182; Malpas Spis A 238, Adderley A 176; Wern A 228, Wroon 184.

Division two: Audlem A 194, Ilton 193; Calverhall A 233, P/Brockhurst A 167; Hadnall A 249, Wern B 131; Harriers 238, Chester Rd B 185; Malpas A 228, Nant Pk Rd A 189; Morton Saye 206, AWC B 194; Wern Alb A 228, Ash A 170.

Division three: District B 233, Malpas B 205; Hodnet A 232, Corbet A 169; Malpas Fms A 233, Chester Rd LA 195, Preses B 215; Audlem B 220; Wern USG B 188; Chindomdeley A 221; Wrenbury A 250, Malpas Spis B 173; AWC C 214, Ellesmere D 184.

Division four: Adderley B 214, Wrenbury B 194; Cheshawdine A 241, Chester Rd C 191; Hamner B 248, AWC E 148; N in Hales A 226; Victoria 210; Nant Pk Rd B 238, Con Club B 193; Tilstock A 200, Edmond A 235, Whixall A 232, Malpas Fms B 166.

Division five: Ches/Rd L B 204, Whixall B 216; Audlem C 244, Hamner D 170; Bridgewater C 231, Wroon B 180; District D 210, District C 196; Ellesmere B 209, N in Hales B 195; Hodnet B 210, AWC D 186.

Division six: Chester Park 178, Wollerton 246; Hadnall B 193, Newport 226; Preses C 210, Tilstock B 191; Whixall C 207, Ash B 200.

Division seven: Ches/Rd L C 226, Ellesmere C 199; Chester Rd D 172, Wern Alb B 245; Chindomdeley C 238, Adderley C 165; Hamner C 194, Wrenbury C 204.

Division eight: Ash C 209, Preses E 199; Malpas D 137, Calverhall C 225; Nant Pk Rd B 188, Whixall D 222; Tilstock C 209, Preses D 232; Victoria B 244, Ches/Rd L D 156.

DIVISION 1

	P	W	Agg
Chester Rd A	132	90	2554
Bridgewater A	132	79	2434
Wern A	132	67	2332
AWC A	132	69	2331
Wern USG A	132	77	2319
District A	132	64	2295
Hamner A	132	66	2289
Wroon	132	62	2252
Malpas Spis A	132	70	2228
Adderley A	132	60	2180
Preses A	132	59	2171
Con Club	132	57	2169
Childs Eccall A	132	51	2133
Ellesmere A	132	53	2113

DIVISION 2

	P	W	Agg
Harriers	132	80	2481
Hadnall A	132	82	2480
P/Brockhurst A	132	79	2358
Nant Pk Rd A	132	68	2345
Malpas A	132	74	2343
Chester Rd B	132	60	2291
Audlem A	132	63	2282
Wern B	132	61	2248
Calverhall A	132	63	2237
Wern Alb A	132	62	2233
Ash A	132	53	2158
Morton Saye	132	61	2153
AWC B	132	52	2080
Ilton	132	66	2072

DIVISION 3

	P	W	Agg
Wrenbury A	132	83	2508
Malpas Fms A	132	79	2381
Ches/Rd L A	132	74	2374
Hodnet A	132	79	2361
District B	132	72	2333
Malpas B	132	62	2296
Malpas Spis B	132	67	2290
AWC C	132	72	2289
Preses B	132	62	2257
Chindomdeley A	132	71	2256
Audlem B	132	49	2207
Ellesmere D	132	55	2147
Corbet A	132	47	2047
Wern USG B	132	42	1877

DIVISION 4

	P	W	Agg
Hamner B	132	79	2428
Victoria	132	80	2425
Whixall A	132	80	2410
Con Club B	132	70	2395
AWC E	132	70	2393
Edmond A	132	72	2331
Malpas Fms B	132	67	2319
Adderley B	132	69	2248
Chester Rd C	132	58	2230
Cheshawdine A	132	64	2201
N in Hales A	132	58	2191
Nant Pk Rd B	132	56	2191
Tilstock A	132	55	2176
Wrenbury B	132	55	2061

DIVISION 5

	P	W	Agg
Audlem C	132	75	2336
Wroon B	132	75	2337
District D	132	67	2229
District C	132	71	2281
Whixall B	132	71	2276
N in Hales B	132	67	2242
Hamner D	132	69	2232
Childs L B	132	52	2205
AWC D	132	54	2191
Bridgewater C	132	65	2181
Ellesmere B	132	63	2180
Hodnet B	132	60	2121
Chindomdeley B	132	62	2038
Calverhall B	132	50	1913

DIVISION 6

	P	W	Agg
Newport	108	65	1936
Preses C	108	65	1972
Wern C	108	68	1937
Ash B	108	57	1907
Whixall C	120	50	1889
Wollerton	108	52	1851
Hadnall B	108	57	1822
Tilstock B	108	42	1688
Barrow Park	108	47	1682
Morton Saye	108	47	1650
Wrenbury D	96	42	1532

DIVISION 7

	P	W	Agg
Wern Alb B	108	67	1970
Wrenbury C	108	70	1958
Hamner C	108	60	1942
Malpas Fms C	108	60	1879
Chindomdeley C	120	53	1873
Chester Rd D	108	48	1767
Ches/Rd L C	108	53	1746
Nant Pk Rd C	96	60	1744
Adderley C	108	43	1735
Ellesmere C	108	42	1627
Cheshawdine B	96	32	1206
AWC F	0	0	0

DIVISION 8

	P	W	Agg
Preses D	108	74	2021
Calverhall C	108	72	1991
Tilstock C	108	61	1961
Victoria B	108	65	1892
Audlem D	108	61	1887
Ash C	108	58	1845
Whixall D	108	39	1734
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Newtown turmoil as Ryan quits and Griffiths says no

by John Bridgwater

MANAGER Darren Ryan has spoken of his reasons for leaving Welsh Premier club Newtown after just 17 days in charge to join North-west Victoria as assistant boss.

Oswestry-based Ryan will be linking up with his old pal Andy Preece at the Evo Stik Premier League side, and said his departure was purely down to "footballing reasons". It is the second time inside a year that the 38-year-old has left Newtown, having been replaced by The New Saints former manager Andy Cale last summer, but he returned to Latham Park on June 1 after Cale and his assistant Lee Williams stepped down following budget cuts at the club.

The squad returned to training last Saturday with assistant Peter Carter taking charge in Ryan's absence.

And a stunned Newtown board is preparing to meet tonight to consider an urgent replacement, with Cefn Druids boss Huw Griffiths and ex Haverfordwest chief Derek Brazil among the possible candidates.

Ryan admitted that leaving Newtown after just a few weeks was a tough call, but felt the move into the English system would benefit him as a coach.

"It was a tough decision to leave Newtown but I'm looking at the bigger picture as I feel going to Northwich will give me a fresh challenge," he said.

Ambition

"I feel by moving into the English system it will help me with my coaching, as my ambition is to coach at as high a level as possible. This is a good chance for me, too good a chance to turn down."

"I also know their manager Andy Preece, we played together at Stockport, we have kept in touch, and I look forward to working with him."

He added: "I wish Newtown well for the future, they are a good club, but my decision to leave is purely down to footballing reasons."

Ryan is currently working towards his pro coaching licence and is a coach with the Wolverhampton Wanderers under-13s.

He was appointed manager of Airbus UK Broughton in March before leaving the Wingmakers' to



Gone – Darren Ryan

take-over again at Newtown.

And the Robins were dealt a fresh blow this week when Cefn Druids and former Welshpool Town boss Huw Griffiths rejected a chance to take over the vacant managerial job.

The Robins approached the highly-regarded Griffiths who led the Druids to third place in the Huws Gray Cymru Alliance last season.

But Griffiths has decided to stay put and mount a title challenge with Druids next season.

He said: "Newtown is a fantastic club and I had good times there when I played for them. But I think Druids is a bigger club and has the potential to be better."

"At this moment of my career I feel there is still a job to be done at Cefn Druids. I have the backing of the board and am pleased to be staying."

Gulls move for Will

BERRIEW front runner Will Thomas has linked up again with former boss Russell Cadwallader after joining Cymru Alliance side Guilsfield.

With Berriew missing out on promotion to the Cymru Alliance, after Llanhaeadr successfully appealed a ground sharing preventing them from taking home the title, it was widely anticipated that Thomas would make the short move to the Powys rivals.

Thomas was named in the Spar Mid Wales team of the season last year and joined Berriew from Welshpool Town.

And Guils boss Cadwallader says more signings are on the way as he looks to shape his squad into a strong unit for the new season.

Thomas has proved a consistent goalscorer in recent seasons, and it is hoped he will form a successful strike partnership with Ross Frame who has decided to stay put with the Gulls.

Fosbrook's dream now alive

PARALYMPIC hopeful Mark Fosbrook's dreams of making the 2012 Games are back on track thanks to the generosity of the Lion Quays Resort, writes GRAHAM BREEZE.

Following the tragedy of losing his stillborn child Lilly on Christmas Day 35 year old Mark dedicated his time to making the Paralympic Games basketball squad but his chances looked doomed when he needed to replace his nine year old specialist wheelchair.

But now the owners of the gymnasium where he trains have come to the rescue and Mark will soon have a new £4,000 chair.

"The Lion Quays have offered to pay for the chair and I can't thank them enough," said a delighted Mark. "It

means so much to me and they have always been so helpful to me at the gymnasium."

"I've been a member there since they opened and without their help my chances would have been extremely limited."

"Now it's really up to me to prove myself and claim a place in the Games squad," said Mark, who works as a disability in sport officer.

Prove myself

He will be measured for the purpose built wheelchair next week and expects to take delivery in about 12 weeks giving him just enough time to get ready for the new season.

Nick Dulsan, general manager at the Lion Quays, said they wanted to help as soon as hearing about Mark's plight.

"Mark is someone who has a lot

of bad luck yet has worked incredibly hard to show what he is capable of," he said.

"He is well known to us at the Lion Quays as a member of the gymnasium and its great that we are able to help him out. We just hope he is now able to make the team."

Mark has received other offers of help and is still looking for support as he looks to dedicate more time to achieving his goal.

For more information go to www.fossey.co.uk.

LEFT: Lion Quays Resort manager Michelle Bowen and general manager Nick Dulsan have come to the rescue of Whittington's paralympic hopeful Mark Fosbrook.

Picture: Peter Flemmich



New signing Greg Draper battles for the ball



Cliftonville keeper Paul McKane denies Craig Jones

Last gasp loss in friendly

JOE Gormley's last gasp strike sentenced The New Saints to a 2-1 friendly loss against fellow Europa League contenders Cliftonville at Park Hall.

With the two sides gearing up for next week's Europa League opening qualifying round, it was Saints who took the lead on 26 minutes when new signing Greg Draper latched onto a through ball from Craig Jones before steering it into the net from the edge of the box.

Draper almost made it two on the stroke of half-time but his first time shot rattled the angle of bar and post.

The Northern Ireland visitors, however, levelled eight minutes after the break when Martin Donnelly took advantage of slack defending to fire low past keeper Paul Harrison's dive.

Visiting keeper Paul McKane made a superb save to turn over a curling effort from Chris Williams before only Stephen Spender and Steve Evans of the outfield players survived a mass substitution by the Saints on the hour.

Jody Lynch could have grabbed a second for Cliftonville in the 80th-minute, but fired over the bar following a misplaced Matty Williams pass.

But the north Belfast men were not to be denied in stoppage time when, following a breakaway move, Gormley chipped a 20-yarder over Harrison for the winner.

Victory was a big boost for Cliftonville's new manager Tommy Breslin who was taking charge for his first competitive game.

Saints sign All White

NEW Zealand international striker Greg Draper has signed for The New Saints ahead of this month's Europa League opener. Draper, 21, represented the All Whites in the 2007 FIFA Under-20 World Cup in Canada.

His senior international debut for New Zealand came in 2008 in a World Cup qualifier against Fiji and he was also included in the Under-23 squad for the Beijing Olympics. Last season, he moved to Basingstoke for whom he hit 15 goals from 28 appearances.

St Martins' promotion hopes dashed this time

ST MARTINS have agreed to ground share with Welsh Premier League giants The New Saints next season – but it's too late for them to be promoted.

St Martins have suffered a frustrating end to a successful season. The Oswestry side – now managed by Stuart Heathcock after John Smout resigned from the position to concentrate on running a pub – finished second in West Midlands League division two last season and were set to move up a level.

But their home pitch, the playing fields on Overton Road in the village, has been deemed too small.

And, while an agreement is in place with their Welsh Premier League neighbours to share the artificial surface at The Venue next season, they are resigned to another year in division two because of league regulations.

"There is a rule that you can't start a ground share to get promoted," said St Martins secretary Derek Stokes, speaking after Monday's league annual meeting.

"That seems strange because we got pro-

moted at our own ground so I'm not sure why it's a problem to then ground share to reach the requirements on facilities."

"We asked if we had any right of appeal but we were told we didn't."

"There is scope to extend our current pitch and we have put in planning permission to do that but the process seems to have stalled a bit."

"We have the option to come back to our original pitch in the long term but we have the agreement with TNS and if we finish in the promotion positions next season, I'm sure we will be able to go up."

Confident

Heathcock – who was No 2 to Smout – has taken the top job with Dan Graham coming in as his assistant.

Saints were one game away from actually winning the title last season only to lose out in a final game decider to Malvern Rangers.

The decision means they will spend another season in division two but will be confident of being amongst the front-runners with last year's promotion campaign coming in Saints' first ever season at that level.

Holmes in return

RELEASED by The New Saints at the end of the season, wing-back Danny Holmes is set to return to his former club Tranmere Rovers.

Manager Les Parry has agreed a deal with 23-year-old Holmes, who made just one first team appearance during his previous spell at Prenton Park under Ronnie Moore in the 2008/9 season and was allowed to leave at the end of his contract.

Holmes now is hopeful of making the breakthrough with the Wirral outfit at the second time of asking and is expected to join the club for the start of their pre-season on June 29.

Holmes joined the Saints from Tranmere Rovers two years ago and had made 57 Welsh Premier appearances, scoring three goals.

He was also named in the Welsh Premier managers' team of the season two years running.

End of a football era for cricketers

OSWESTRY's oldest-established Sunday football club has played its last game – and will be holding a big event next month to celebrate "the end of an era".

Oswestry Cricket Club Football Club's first competitive match was at Whixall in the Wern Sunday League in September 1963, and they signed off last month by beating The Oak in the League Cup final, in what is now known as the North Shropshire Sunday League.

Left back Jason Tyler, who was in the team at Whixall, played throughout the club's existence and was on the field when the final whistle went against The Oak.

"It was great to win the League Cup in our final game as OCC," said club chairman Mike Robinson.

"None of the players knew it was going to be the last ever OCC game until afterwards, and I'm convinced a couple of them were close to tears when they found out after we'd received the cup."

A Goodbye OCC FC Night will now be held at Oswestry Cricket Club on Saturday, July 16 (8pm), and Robinson is hoping as many players as possible who turned out for the club over the years will be there to celebrate its 18-year existence.

It is also hoped to stage a football match involving OCC players in the afternoon.

"Eighteen years is a long life-span for a Sunday football team, and in that time hundred of players will have worn the OCC shirt," added Robinson.

"We'd like to see a good few of them down at the club on July 16, although numbers are obviously limited."

The night will include a racenight and live music, and tickets at £5 are available from Robinson on 07971 559657.

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Birch still confident ahead of derby day

WELSHPOOL'S cricketers know they need to start hitting the points trail when they host Knockin & Kinnerley on Saturday in the FBC Manby Bowdler Shropshire League division one.

After last week's seven wicket loss at unbeaten leaders Wroxeter, the Maesydre men anticipate another tricky test in their quest to climb into the top half of the table.

"The table's so tight that if we can get 40 points from our next few games then we could go up six or seven places," said spokesman Joe Birch.

"But we need to start to stringing together a decent run of results, if we do that we'll soon start climbing the table."

"Saturday's another tough game, so we've got to bowl tight lines and put a decent total on the board when we bat."

Paul Chapman returns to the side after missing the last two weeks, replacing Rob Pengelly.

Birch admitted Welshpool's batters had found it difficult against league leaders Wroxeter last week as they toiled to 114-8 after being put in to bat on a tricky surface.

"Losing the toss was crucial as there was moisture in the wicket," he added.

"They bowled tight lines, the ball seemed about and we were not able to get the ball off the square for the first 20 overs."

"Had we scored another 40-50 runs, it would have been a tough chase for them."

Swimming success for town stars

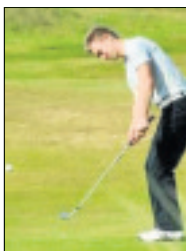
WELSHPOOL Sharks swimming club can boast a host of swimmers in the Welsh National Championships later this year.

Five of the town's swimmers have qualified for the competition - Llyr Griffiths, Jordan Lewis, James Phillips, Kate Jones and Ieuan Morgan Thomas have all booked their places in the event.

And the club itself has entered a Junior League in Nuneaton and after the opening two rounds is riding high in fourth with promotion a real possibility in the 15-team division.

The Sharks will look to build on their promising start at the next meeting of the league this weekend.

GOLFERS JUST ONE STAGE FROM OPEN



ABOVE: Mile End's Grant Edwards is still in Open contention after finishing a shot behind Welshpool professional Lee Rooke, TOP, in the qualifying competition held at Coventry Golf Club. LEFT: Will Jones booked his place in the final round after a level par 72 at Enville, Staffordshire.

Picture: Tony Marsh

by Graham Breeze and John Bridgwater

LEE ROOKE has his eye on a tee time alongside the big guns in next month's Open Championship after a stunning performance in the qualifying round at Coventry Golf Club - which included a hole in one.

The Welshpool professional, who is attached to Vale of Llangollen, shared victory with Stonebridge's Andrew Jones, firing a round of 67, which included the ace at the 220 yard 15th - his first in competitive golf. His round also included seven birdies, but the former Llanymynech assistant nearly didn't bother to turn up.

"It was only a last minute decision," he said. "I wasn't going to bother but then thought as I was free on the day it would be silly to miss the opportunity."

"Everything just went for me and I am enjoying a very good spell at the moment. There's still a lot to do but at least I am in with a shout now."

And he will be joined next Tuesday and Wednesday at the four courses around the Open venue of Royal St George's in Sandwich Kent by two Oswestry golfers.

Oswestry teenager Will Jones and Grant Edwards - a professional at Mile End - both progressed through regional qualifying.

Job swap

Jones, who plays out of Oswestry and lives at Llanfair Caereinion, claimed one of the 12 spots on offer at Enville in Staffordshire thanks to a level par round of 72.

A birdie at the last guaranteed his progress and repaired the damage of a double bogey at the 17th after the 19-year-old had carded three successive birdies from the 12th to haul himself into contention.

It kept Jones on course for a 'job swap' at the Open after he was a scoreboard holder at St Andrews last year.

A trip to Coventry proved worthwhile for Edwards as his round of 68 took him to the final stage sharing second place of the 12 qualifiers, just a shot behind Rooke.

The trio will now play two rounds for the right to compete in the Open Championship which runs from July 14-17.

It wasn't such good news for all of the area's golfers though as Oswestry's Josh Carpenter (73), Llanymynech's Andrew Humphreys (76) and Oswestry's Sam Roberts (79) all bowed out of the competition at Enville, while Llanymynech's Mark Trow failed to card a result in his qualifying competition at Mere.

Skipper keen to pick up points

AFTER looking decidedly off colour last week, Oswestry look for a quick pick-me-up in Saturday's tricky trip to Tamworth in division three of the Birmingham Cricket League, writes **JOHN BRIDGWATER**.

The emphatic seven wicket loss at home to Lichfield saw the Morda Road men slip into third spot, behind new leaders Brewwood who have replaced Barnards Green at the top.

Skipper Mark Robinson knows his side need to get that performance out of their system, but points could again be hard-earned against fifth placed Tamworth.

The Staffordshire hosts underlined their threat with a dominant display last week against Barnards Green - and were only denied victory by the weather.

"The next two weeks is crucial for us," said Robinson.

"We've got Tamworth on Saturday and are also away to new leaders Brewwood the following week."

Important

"They are both good sides and we know we will need to perform a lot better."

"The table is taking shape, it looks like five teams are going to be competing for the two promotion places, and it's important that we stay up there."

Oswestry have resisted making changes as they look to turn in the kind of performance that saw them string together a four-match winning run before last Saturday's setback.

"We will practice this week and sit down and look to put our finger on what went wrong last week," added Robinson.

"We've got a few second teamers knocking on the door but we've kept the same side, and it's the chance for the lads to redeem themselves."

Despite last week's loss, which was only their second of the season, Oswestry are still just nine points off the pace at the top of a division they feel they have a great chance of escaping this season.

But they will be wary that Tamworth, currently 23 below the border men, will themselves be anxious to make up ground.

Saints will skip Irish friendly as boss prepares for crucial Cliftonville clash

By John Bridgwater

made in Switzerland.

Cliftonville won 2-1 with a last-gasp winner, but Davies feels the game will not provide much of a pointer ahead of next week's home tie.

"We made nine changes in the second half, so you can't read too much into the game," he said.

Confident

"They will feel they may know more about us as they had a number of players missing, but I don't think that game will count for an awful lot."

"We're confident for next week, but not over-confident. We've got no injuries at the moment, and

everyone's looking forward to the game."

TNS will have home advantage next Thursday before making the return to Belfast seven days later, with the winners of the tie facing Danish side FC Midtjylland in the next round.

"Logistically it's fantastic, and being at home for the first leg will give us more time to prepare for the trip over there," added Davies.

"I had a feeling we would get Cliftonville, it's going to be tough as they are now mugs, but it's a winnable tie, rather like Bohemians last year."

Both sides play their home games on 3G artificial surfaces, so Tommy Breslin's men from Belfast won't fear their second visit to

Oswestry. The two clubs also met CSKA Sofia in last season's Europa League competition, Cliftonville losing 5-1 on aggregate to the Bulgarians in the third qualifying round, with the Saints going down 5-2 to the same opponents in the next stage.

For their home tie, the Saints will be hoping for a sell-out while Cliftonville's Solitude home, which once staged internationals, is now restricted to a capacity of just over 2,000.

With TNS having pulled out of the friendly, Glentoran will now host Bangor City who themselves are preparing for the Champions League.

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